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LABOR MEN DEBATING QUESTION OF STRIKE

Delegate Sivertz Advocates
Educational Campaign
Among Workers

RESOLUTION IS BEFORE
SPECIAL CONVENTION

Miners' Delegate Attacks
Strike Proposal Advanced
by Victoria Man

REES CANNOT SEE WHAT
END WOULD BE GAINED

Vancouver, July 15.—The B. C. Federation of Labor convention decided this afternoon to call a general strike of labor forces in British Columbia because of conditions which have arisen out of the miners' strike on Vancouver Island.

A referendum vote of the unions is necessary before an actual strike can be made effective. This operation will take at least six weeks. The vote stood to-day at 48 to 35.

This afternoon the delegates are discussing a resolution to oppose the provincial government at the next election, placing a Labor candidate in each constituency.

Vancouver, July 15.—The second day's session of the special convention of the B. C. Federation of Labor were adjourned at 5 p. m. yesterday with the ultimate decision in regard to future action on the part of the workers still a matter of considerable doubt. The atmosphere, however, is gradually becoming more heated now that the discussion has moved from generalities to the debating of a definite resolution.

The resolution in question is one submitted by Delegate Fisher of the Victoria Longshoremen's union, and if it prevails, the executive of the Federation will be instructed to take a referendum vote of all unions in the province as to whether a general strike shall take place.

To this an amendment has been offered, which calls for the raising of a fund which shall be used for the purpose of educating the workers throughout the province, by providing organizers and literature bearing especially upon the miners' strike, with a view of using their franchise as electors in the province to bring about such administration as the workers need.

The mover of the first resolution stated that in his opinion the time was ripe for a general strike as a dead end was being made against every form of organization in the province. In the city of Victoria it was becoming notorious that a man to get a job even as a carpenter had to become a member of the militia, he said.

Delegate Rees, representing the miners of district 18, which comprises the unions in the Crow's Nest Pass and in Alberta delivered an attack upon the general strike idea.

"The time for long strikes is ended," he declared, and better methods must be discovered to further the interests of the workers generally. So far as the men he represented were concerned, he was not sure that they would look with favor on such a proposition, and in any case they would have to consider their own position. They had been through many strikes. The experience was not a new one to him or to those he represented, and just what the island miners could gain if the miners in the other districts or those in other trades were to strike was not at all clear.

He pointed out that none of the crafts or industries were fully organized as they ought to be, and while an appeal could be made to the unorganized there was little to hope for in that direction. In addition to that, the U. M. W. of A. would most certainly not countenance the breaking of the agreement under which they were working on any such pretext, and financial backing was necessary when a strike was undertaken. He maintained that there were other ways to strike that would be much more effective.

Delegates Pattinson, of Nanaimo, made an appeal for a general strike and was supported by Delegate Naylor, of Cumberland, Delegate Gray, of Fernie, and Delegate Cochrane, of Nanaimo.

Delegate Sivertz, of Victoria, spoke at considerable length in favor of his amendment for the promotion of an educational campaign. He took occasion to point out that the federation of labor was a purely voluntary organization, which had no power to order a strike and had no other course than to submit any such proposition to the affiliated unions. These unions in turn were governed by their several international constitutions, and were compelled to act in accordance with their own laws or forfeit their claims upon their international organizations.

THREE TO ONE THAT SHAMROCK'S BEATEN IS LLOYD'S OFFER

Gosport, Eng., July 15.—Everything is ready for the departure, July 18, for the United States of the Shamrock IV. Sir Thomas Lipton's challenger for the America's cup. Her compasses have been adjusted, her ketch rig has been fitted and Sir Thomas' steam yacht Erin is waiting to convey her across the Atlantic.

"Shamrock IV. has done all that has been asked of her," is the final word of Charles E. Nicholson, the designer. He admits, however, that the trial boat was in no way satisfactory, as the type of an opponent which would enable the yachtmen accurately to gauge the Shamrock IV.'s chances of lifting the cup. Underwriters at Lloyd's are not so optimistic as Mr. Nicholson concerning the Shamrock's chances. Their estimate to-day was roughly three to one against the challenger. In other words, they are issuing policies at a premium of thirty five per cent. to pay the total loss if the Shamrock IV. should prove successful. A similar risk in connection with an aeroplane across the Atlantic during the present year is being covered at eight per cent.

The crew of the Shamrock IV., numbering more than thirty men, is to be divided during the voyage, half of the sailors taking it easy on board the Erin as far as the Azores, and then relieving their shipmates for the remainder of the trip.

RAILWAY FINANCIERS WAITING ON MINISTER

Lash Says Sir William Mackenzie
Has Not Borrowed From Mrs.
Hetty Green.

Ottawa, July 15.—Hon. W. T. White, minister of finance arrived at Ottawa this morning after being anxiously awaited by C. N. R. and G. T. P. representatives, who desired a speedy completion of the details of the two trust deeds which are to be executed before the companies can finance the bonds guaranteed last session.

The minister, who was expected last Monday was in conference with the representatives this afternoon, and it is expected that the details will be completed before evening.

Questioned about the rumor that Sir William Mackenzie was compelled to borrow from Mrs. Hetty Green, of New York, to tide over the delay, Z. A. Lash, K. C., stated that he had not done so. He declared that a 30-day call loan of \$15,000,000 would be of little advantage either to the borrower or the lender.

The general impression here is that the National Trust company will be trustee for the bondholders.

MOUNT LASSEN MAKES EIGHTEENTH ERUPTION

Outbreak of California Mountain No
Longer Excites Country Folk
Near Redding.

Redding, Cal., July 15.—Black smoke belched a mile high from the crater on Lassen Peak early to-day and then drifted southward before the wind in a banner ten miles long. The amount of falling ashes was small, compared with the great eruption of June 14, although the volume of the cloud was fully as great and the duration of the disturbance longer.

The violence of the outbreak began to dwindle after two hours, though the mountain still emitted smoke. The spectacle of Mount Lassen in eruption has become so common that it no longer excites the countryside. To-day is the eighteenth eruption since May 30.

NINETY TOKIO RIOTERS GIVEN TERMS IN PRISON

Tokyo, July 15.—The criminal court here to-day sentenced ninety participants in the anti-ministerial riots of February 10 to terms of imprisonment ranging from six months to a year. The riots occurred during demonstrations against the ministers' attitude in connection with the recent naval scandals, for which a number of officers were dismissed from the navy on charges of having received illicit commissions for influencing the allotment of admiralty contracts.

WITNESS DO NOT WAIT IN CHICAGO BANK CASE

Chicago, July 15.—It was learned to-day that witnesses wanted by the federal grand jury investigating the affairs of the LaSalle Street Bank while it was a national concern have fled from the city. One man, it was said, has gone to Los Angeles, but federal agents there as well as in other cities will be sent copies of the subpoena and will try to serve them.

LANCASTER WILL NOT BE CANDIDATE IN LINCOLN

St. Catharines, Ont., July 15.—Because the seasonal indigency of the Dominion Commons is not high enough E. A. Lancaster, M. P. for Lincoln for the past 14 years, will not again offer himself for re-election. He told this to a deputation of his constituents last night, who presented him with an illuminated address.

AUTOMOBILE TURNS OVER NEAR EBURNE

Mrs. Peter J. Rinds Killed and
Four Men Are Se-
verely Injured

TOURING CAR SKIDDED
THREW PEOPLE OUT

Children Wake in Morning to
Find Parents Missing From
Their Home

POLICE TELL YOUNG BOY
OF HIS MOTHER'S DEATH

Vancouver, July 15.—Mrs. Peter J. Rinds, 1023 Robson street, is dead, and her husband, and Reginald Seward, F. Brady and J. Bottomley are in the general hospital as a result of an automobile accident which occurred at 1.30 o'clock this morning at the corner of Fourth street and Townsend road, Eburne. The automobile, a big touring car driven by Seward, skidded and turned over, throwing the occupants out on the road. Mrs. Rinds was killed instantly. The other members of the party were injured seriously.

Seward, who resides at the Badminton hotel, was taking a party of friends out for a ride in the automobile that he drives. The automobile was being driven along Fourth street and in making the turn on to Townsend road, at a high rate of speed, it was stated, the car skidded and, turning completely over, righted itself on the opposite side of the street.

"It is a vacation matter? I will only hear it if it is of the utmost urgency," protested the judge.

"It is of great urgency. Sums of money have been abstracted from the fund in connection with the dealings with the Alpha Mortgage company. They were loaned sums totalling \$46,000, and this money has not been paid back," said Mr. Armour.

"I understand that the Dominion Trust company has taken charge of the business of the company and its managing it. The matter can not be in any worse position by waiting until September. I will adjourn it until after vacation," said his lordship.

J. G. Gibson, for the Dominion Trust company, asked that he be served with any papers in connection with the application.

"We do not recognize the Dominion Trust company in the matter at all," replied Mr. Armour.

MR. EMERSON'S ESTATE OVER HUNDRED THOUSAND

Moncton, N. B., July 15.—Hon. H. R. Emerson left an estate of 114,000 payable to his children. There being some question requiring immediate attention, the will was probated yesterday and executors and trustees are his son Henry Reid Emerson, and son-in-law Julian T. Cornell. Legacies of \$10,000 each are given to his five children, Mrs. F. H. Deacon, of Toronto; Henry Reid Emerson, Amherst; Mrs. J. T. Cornell, of Amherst; Mrs. H. M. Bowes, of Ottawa; and Miss Bernice Emerson.

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SEATTLE POTLATCH ON TO-DAY UNTIL SATURDAY

Seattle, July 15.—The Potlatch, the annual summer festival, conducted by the Tillamook of Elletts, was opened at noon, and will continue until late Saturday night. An international power boat race between Vancouver and Seattle will terminate here this afternoon, and there will be aeroplane flights. To-night there will be fireworks and illumination of the downtown district. The Lipton cup yacht races will begin to-morrow.

WOLFFE MAKES TENTH ATTEMPT TO SWIM THE CHANNEL

Boulogne, France, July 15.—Jabez Wolffe, the English amateur long distance swimmer, started to-day on his tenth attempt to swim across the English channel. He entered the water at 4 o'clock in the morning at Cape Griens, and had reached mid-channel at 10.15. A carrier pigeon sent up by his companions brought information that Wolffe was then swimming strongly.

The only two swimmers who have ever crossed the channel were Captain Matthew Webb, in 1875 and William T. Burgess in 1911.

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CANADIAN HOME CASE WAITS OVER VACATION

Receiver Asked for in Supreme Court
Chambers This Morning
at Vancouver.

Vancouver, July 15.—Accusations that the directors of the Canadian Home Investment company had been guilty of breaches of trust and of outrageous dealings with the loan and reserve fund of the company were made by Douglas Armour this morning in supreme court chambers. Mr. Armour, who is in charge of the test case being brought against the company by the contract holders, asked for the appointment of a receiver and manager for the vacation matter? I will only hear it if it is of the utmost urgency," protested the judge.

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FRENCH SENATE PASSES HUGE VOTE ASKED BY VIVIANI FOR ARMAMENTS

Assurance by Premier and War Minister of
Efficiency in Military Forces Needed Be-
fore Upper House Would Concur in Ex-
penditure of \$280,000,000

Paris, July 15.—The senate and chamber of deputies were in session throughout yesterday but in spite of all endeavors the senate failed to pass the budget of 1914 before adjournment at 11 o'clock last night. The two Houses arranged to meet early to-day for the purpose of taking a vote in time for President Poincare to sign the decrees before leaving for Russia at noon.

Most of the differences which existed between the senate and chamber have been arranged, and the delay in the senate was due to a heated debate on the question raised by Senators Humbert and Clemenceau respecting alleged military disorganization.

Senator Humbert's charges were specific, and made a strong impression on the House. He declared that millions had been wasted on national defence owing to bad organization in the army, and he charged that the armaments, particularly the artillery, were inefficient.

Charges of inefficiency ordered investigated.

Accepting the assurances of Premier Viviani and War Minister Messimi that everything necessary was being done to maintain the military forces at the highest state of efficiency, the senate finally ratified the non-recurring expenditure of 1,400,000,000 francs (\$280,000,000) already voted by the chamber.

The senate at the same time ordered that the army committee make a searching investigation of the charges preferred by Senator Humbert and submit its report after vacation.

WOMAN TELLS REASON FOR STABBING PRIEST

Was False Prophet and
Wrought Awful Evil In
Russia She Said

St. Petersburg, July 15.—The emperor's court physician, Professor Sergius Petrovitch Fedoroff, and the empress' lady-in-waiting, Mrs. Virubova, started to-day for Tyumen, Siberia, according to the Courier, to attend the mystic lay monk and imperial confidant, Gregory Rasputin, who is suffering from a wound who tried to kill him.

In a newspaper interview to-day Mlle. Gurva, the would-be assassin, who is in jail, said she had long meditated killing Rasputin and thus putting an end to the awful evil wrought by him in Russia by his impostures under the guise of a prophet.

She said she had shaken Christianity, was sowing temptation and was blasphemously mocking the most holy feelings of true believers, and she added that she enjoyed absolute immunity and had openly and without conscience ruined the lives of young girls.

Mlle. Gurva concluded: "I, as a simple Christian, could not suffer his abuse of the church. I wanted to kill him last year. I went to Yalta but could not approach him because he was so closely surrounded by aristocratic women followers. I regret that I failed to kill him. All the same he will not live. The Russian people will not endure such disgrace."

Rasputin, in an interview, said: "It is all that cursed Heliolodus, abbot of Tzaritsyn. But to the confusion of himself and all my enemies, I will live and they will have the nooses put around their necks."

BULL IN CHINA SHOP OUTDONE AT 'FRISCO

Thrilling Flight Through Streets
Ends on Fourth Floor Room of
Apartment House.

San Francisco, July 15.—An unruly bull broke loose from cattle-unloaded early to-day on the Embarcadero, and dashing through the commission merchants and downtown districts, with a vaquero in full chase, galloped up Nob Hill into the thick of the apartment houses. Terrified by the chase behind him, and bewildered and infuriated by the street traffic, he turned abruptly off Pine street and bolted in an apartment house hallway, shivering the door in his plunge.

Once inside there seemed no turning back, and to the amazement and terror of the tenants, he kept on up three flights of stairs, butting in doors whenever the turns were too sharp.

On the fourth floor the vaquero cornered him, but it was necessary to back him into a lady's room before he could be turned around and led downstairs.

HON. J. J. FOY IMPROVED.

Toronto, Ont., July 15.—The condition of Hon. J. J. Foy, attorney-general of Ontario, is somewhat improved to-day. He is still in a very dangerous condition, however.

HUERTA IS STILL IN CAPITAL OF MEXICO

Legation Messages Brief and
Offer Washington Very
Little News

VILLA AND OFFICERS
ARE NOW AT BORDER

Will Move Entire Army For-
ward to Mexico City
Within Eight Days

EVACUATION OF GUAYMAS
WAS BEGUN YESTERDAY

Mexico City, July 15.—General Huerta was about the principal streets of the capital this morning and at 11 o'clock, as usual, went to the barbershop in front of the cable office to be shaved.

Washington, July 15.—No word of the movements or intentions of General Huerta was contained to-day in the early official dispatches. The only official communication from Mexico City was a message from the Brazilian legation there, the contents of which had evidently been censored until nothing but a mere list of routine formal announcements was made.

Vera Cruz, Mex., July 15.—Two special trains, conveying the families of General Huerta and General Blanquet and others from Mexico City to the coast are reported to have arrived at Orizaba at 9 a. m. to-day. From that point, it is believed, they may proceed to Puerto Mexico, where they should arrive to-morrow morning.

El Paso, Tex., July 15.—General Francisco Villa, his staff and a small escort arrived to-day at Juarez to spend a few days at the border here. The northern divisional commander is expected to return south and have his entire army moving toward Mexico City within eight days. The Villa troops are spread over southern Chihuahua. While at Juarez, General Villa will arrange for future supplies. While it is known that Villa's supply of artillery ammunition is ample, he is short of rifle cartridges.

On Board U. S. S. California, Matzatan, July 14.—By wireless to San Diego, Cal., July 15.—Evacuation of Guaymas by the Mexican federal forces was begun to-day with the arrival of the steamer Benito Juarez, according to reports to Rear-Admiral Howard. The first step preliminary to the general exodus of federal forces began with the embarking of horses and cattle.

Conferences between the federal and constitutionalist generals at Guaymas relative to the exchange of prisoners continued throughout the day, and the negotiations have been practically completed, the federal commander reserving the right to certain exceptions when the transfers are made.

The California and the destroyer Freble departed to-day for LaPaz, a Lower California port, where it is expected the federal and constitutionalist will agree on the joint support of Carranza.

Colonel Gomez, a Zapatista officer, who has taken charge of Acapulco in the name of the constitutionalists, has promised protection to all foreigners. His forces there consist of 2,000 men.

The evacuation of Guaymas by the federal forces will have the effect of opening the large Southern Pacific railroad shops at Empalme on the outskirts, and result in the restoration of through service between Nogales, Ariz., and Tepic, capital of the state of that name.

The Japanese cruiser Izumo left Manzanillo to-day for Mazatlan.

Washington, July 15.—Killing of the director and the inspector of the school of the Christian Brothers at Zacatecas, Mex., and the imprisonment of eleven other members of the order, all French citizens, was reported to President Wilson in a telegram laid before him by Brother Clementis, a member of the order. The president was asked to take immediate steps to have the imprisoned men set free and to prevent threatened similar occurrences at Saitillo, Acapulco, Mexico City, Mizacoa, Morelia, Puebla, Queretaro and Toluca, where other schools are maintained.

A similar petition has been sent to the French government.

GRAND LODGE MASONS MEETING AT NIAGARA

Niagara Falls, Ont., July 15.—The 53rd annual convention of the grand lodge of A. F. and A. M. was held here to-day with one of the largest attendances ever reported. The grand master's report showed the order to be in a flourishing condition, the surplus amounting to \$29,812.00. The membership has risen during the year to 57,300, an increase of 3,300. The grand treasurer regretted that there was \$30,000 arrears in dues in the jurisdiction.

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MURDER CHARGED TO WOMAN OF SAN JOSE

Insurance Company Began Investigation of Mrs. Bluett's Death

Reno, Nev., July 15.—After receiving the report of experts concerning the body of Mrs. Katherine Bluett, who died in Auburn, Cal., July 16, and was buried here two days later, the district attorney here is advised by District Attorney Clark, of Placer county, Cal., that a warrant had been issued for the arrest of Miss E. J. Rhinehart, of San Jose, Cal., said to be a foster daughter of Mrs. Bluett.

Mrs. Bluett was said to have died from burns caused by an over-turned oil stove, but the body showed only superficial burns on the limbs. The experts are working on the theory that the woman was poisoned.

Auburn, Cal., July 15.—The charge against Miss Rhinehart is murder, according to Sheriff McCaulay. He said that Miss Rhinehart was not a foster daughter of Mrs. Bluett, but that they were both trained nurses and partners in a small private hospital here. Miss Rhinehart was in Auburn for only a couple of months and she left soon after the death of Mrs. Bluett. Mrs. Bluett was insured for \$10,000 in a New York life insurance company, and for \$3,000 in an accident insurance company. The latter policy was paid to Miss Rhinehart, it is said, but the company in which the woman was insured for the large amount refused to pay the \$10,000 to Miss Rhinehart and began the investigation, which resulted in a murder warrant being issued.

RECORDS ARE BROKEN IN NELSON ATTENDANCE

Chahko Mika Carnival in Interior Town Full of Attractions to Visitors.

Nelson, B. C., July 15.—Attended by crowds which broke all records at Nelson, the second day of the Chahko Mika carnival, was marked by a flight by a hydro-aeroplane, the crowning of Queen Dora Jordan by Hon. Martin Burrell, minister of agriculture, the winning of the championship rifle match in the interior of the B. C. Rifle association's annual meet by L. M. Cameron, of Trail, and of the headquarters association cup by F. Hutton, of Grand Forks. To-day I. Lehman, veteran shot from Kamloops, will defend the Daily News cup, won last year. A big street parade of Dkays from all parts of the province and fraternal orders are other features. R. F. Green, M. P., who is attending the Old Timers' Reunion, accompanied by H. B. Thomson, M. P. P., of Victoria, will crown the rose queen, Miss Edna Malone.

MANAGERS WILL NOT MEET MEN'S DEMAND

Chicago, July 15.—Relations between the engineers of the railroads west of Chicago and the general managers' committee approached the breaking point to-day when the men's representatives prepared to present an ultimatum on wages and working conditions. The managers' committee declared yesterday that the demands could not be agreed to. Several of the engineers' committee predicted to-day that a general strike would be called unless the managers modified their attitude.

MEN AGREE TO DEAL SINGLY WITH COMPANY

Philadelphia, Pa., July 15.—Announcement was made to-day that the vote cast yesterday by the motormen and conductors of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit company resulted in the men deciding to continue for another year the present co-operative plan by which the men deal as individuals with the company, rather than through a labor organization. About 6,500 men are involved.

BUYS NEW YORK-COLON CABLE FROM ENGLAND

New York, July 15.—To provide for the large increase in business expected to follow the opening of the Panama canal, a new cable will be laid from New York to Colon by way of Guantanamo before the end of the year. The cable, costing \$1,500,000, is being constructed in England and will be much larger than the present cable.

AUTO SKIDS, ONE KILLED THREE OTHERS ARE HURT

Vancouver, July 15.—Their automobile skidding at a street corner in Eburne, six miles out of Vancouver, five people were injured under the overturned car at 1 o'clock this morning. Mrs. Peter Rinnan was killed, her husband was badly hurt, as was R. P. Seward, the chauffeur, and F. Brady, another passenger. Seward had taken his employer's car out for a joy ride.

WINNIPEG BARS WERE OPENED ELECTION DAY

Winnipeg, July 15.—Election day infringements of the liquor act have resulted in nearly 20 prosecutions being instituted by the provincial license department against Winnipeg hotels for having their bars open on Friday last. The act provides that bars shall be closed all day during federal and provincial elections, and contrary to this a number of local bars opened for business when the polls closed.

POWER FROM CANADA WANTED OVER BORDER

Secretary Garrison Makes Recommendations Regarding Niagara River

Washington, July 15.—The removal of the obstructions upon the importation of electric power from Canada and the retention of the present limit of 15,000 cubic feet per second upon the amount of water diverted for power purposes from the Niagara river above the falls on the American side were advocated by Secretary Garrison, in a letter to the house foreign affairs committee, made public to-day. With the letter Mr. Garrison sent a report by Brigadier-General Kingman, chief army engineer, declaring that the enormous commerce of the lakes probably would soon demand a ship canal between Lake Erie and Lake Ontario on American soil. As to the situation below the falls, Secretary Garrison said there seemed to be no reason for an express limitation upon water diverted there. He endorsed in a general way the Smith and Child bill which, he said, closely approached the legislation needed for the protection of the Niagara river, and for the best and most economic use of its waters for power development, not inconsistent with navigation interests.

The secretary's letter will be put before the committee at a meeting called for the general discussion of the Niagara division problem, which has vexed congress, the war department and New York state authorities for years. Representatives of the Seneca Indians are expected to appear to support their claim to rights in the Niagara under the Pickering treaty.

GRAND FORKS HARDWARE MAN HAS DISAPPEARED

Left Town for Ranch Monday Night but Did Not Reach There; Search Parties Go Out.

Grand Forks, B. C., July 15.—Thomas A. McIntyre, senior member of the firm of McIntyre & Smith, hardware merchants of this city disappeared at 10.30 Monday night, and has not since been seen or heard of. Mr. McIntyre who had recently moved with his family to his ranch some two miles east of the city for the summer, came to town to attend a meeting of the agricultural association, after which he started home about 10.30, but failed to reach there. His wife communicated with friends in the city by telephone yesterday, to ascertain if he had remained in town over night. It was then learned that he had disappeared, and ever since large numbers of citizens have organized parties and searched the country for miles around, but no trace of the missing man could be found.

TYPEWRITER MAY OFFER CLUE TO MISSING WOMAN

San Antonio, Tex., July 15.—Three developments in the mysterious disappearance of the two daughters of Mrs. John Nelms, of Atlanta, Ga., were announced to-day by the San Antonio police. The police said a physician on or about June 25 treated at a local hotel the child of a Mrs. Dennis; that June 25 a man giving his name as W. Sims shipped from here to Victor Innes in San Francisco a typewriter with Hindu characters, and that the mysterious package addressed to Miss Margaret Nelms was in care of Mrs. Margaret Mims, and not Mrs. Margaret Mindes, a local woman who denied knowledge of the shipment or acquaintance with either Miss Nelms or her sister, Mrs. Floise Nelms-Dennis. No Mrs. Margaret Mims has been found here. Innes was the lawyer who secured Mrs. Dennis' divorce and the police have started to trace the typewriter shipment. In the meantime the package shipped to Miss Nelms remains unclaimed in a local express office. Its contents are unknown.

The police still claim the missing women were here during June and are searching for two women said to answer their description who registered at a local hotel as from New York, under other names. The name of Mrs. Dennis does not appear on the hotel register where the physician says he visited a sick child.

ANOTHER INQUIRY INTO FINANCE OF RAILROAD

Washington, July 15.—Investigation by the interstate commerce commission into the affairs of the Wabash-Pittsburg Terminal Railway company generally to ascertain what makes the present market value of its first mortgage bonds which sold in excess of 90 cents on the dollar, now 7 1/2 cents on the dollar, is cited in a resolution which Representative Townsend prepared to urge to-day before the interstate commerce commission.

Mr. Townsend in his resolution sets out that the Wabash-Pittsburg Terminal company's issue of first mortgage bonds aggregated \$60,236,000, and he wants to know what cash or things of value it received from the disposal of this issue, for what purpose the proceeds were used and from whom and at what price it obtained control of more than 51 per cent of the capital stock of the Wabash and Lake Erie railroad.

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Very Charming Novelty Suits for Fall

An Advance Showing of Very Exclusive Models

In seasons gone by there has been very little variety in suit styles; a standard was set and invariably strictly followed. For the coming Fall, however, variety of style is undoubtedly the keynote, there being many new and charming effects to suit women of every taste and figure.

Among the new features will be found the Novelty Suits with the Cossack coat, the tunic coat, the smart cape coat effect, while the very latest innovation is the long coat suit in the redingote effect.

The coat collars are styled in quite a new way, and in such pretty contrast materials; in fact every collar seems to be of a different cut, making it difficult to describe in print.

The skirts to the suits, while novel, are by no means extreme; kilting and knife-plaiting are two of the new features.

As for the new shades, there are many—Burgundy, various purples, bottle green. Navy blue will still be popular with many, but there are numerous other different shades of blue.

Our July Sale continues with many new bargains selected from each department. Striking values in Underwear, Hosiery and Whitewear.

See these Sample Fall Coats, specially priced at..... \$10



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"On the Doorstep of Desire"

THE merchant of to-day is not satisfied to merely let his advertising invite people to his store. The right kind of an advertisement virtually takes the merchant's goods to the home—places them on the doorstep of the reader's desire and says—

"Mrs. Housewife, won't you take me in?"

Thus good advertising for a retail store does especially important work in bad weather—the advertisement talks on days too bad for Mrs. Housewife to go "down town."

Most merchants recognize this, and depend on their advertising to make sales when the store window, by reason of adverse weather, doesn't get a chance to talk.

And just as there are winter days

so stormy that the daily newspaper is the only real point of contact between Mrs. Housewife and the shopping district, so are there summer days so sultry that "down town" is out of the question.

But is it ever too hot for the daily newspaper to get a hearing? Is there a single day in the whole summer that the merchant could not, with the proper kind of advertisement, place his goods on the doorstep of Mrs. Housewife's desire?

Put your goods there every day—hot or not. They will be taken in, all right.

You can obtain helpful advice on advertising free of cost and without obligation by consulting with the Advertising Department of The Times.

COMPANY ORDERED TO PAY COST OF LUXURY

London, July 15.—Before the Privy Council to-day Sir Robert S. Finlay, K.C., made an application in the appeal of the Canadian Pacific Railway company vs. Macdonald, of Montreal, a servant of the company. The issue was the amount of compensation to be paid under the compensation act. Lord Haldane said he had looked through the pleadings and agreed that there were important questions of principles involved of general interest to railway companies. The Privy Council, therefore, would grant the petition on the understanding that the company paid the respondent's claim and the costs, whether they succeeded or failed in the appeal.

PROMINENT PEOPLE WED AT REGISTRY OFFICE

London, July 15.—The marriage of Martin Vogel, assistant United States treasurer at New York, and Mrs. Albert Lewisohn, of New York, took place to-day in the registry office of the Covent Garden district.

After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was given at the residence of Sir Charles Henry and Lady Henry, the bride's sister, in Carlton Gardens. Among those present were Ambassador Walter Hines Page and Mrs. Page, Baron Reading, the Lord Chief Justice of England and David Lloyd George, chancellor of the exchequer.

Phoenix Stout, \$1.50 per doz. qts.

TRANSFER HATCHERY TO PARK AT ROYAL CITY

New Westminster, July 15.—Queen's park will soon have a permanent fisheries exhibit and a Dominion fish hatchery in constant operation as an added attraction to the park, as soon as directions just issued by the minister of marine and fisheries can be carried out, provided that the city of New Westminster will supply water for the hatchery and rearing ponds from its overflow from the park reservoir. This action is taken in view of the necessity for the abandonment of the Bon Accord hatchery at Port Mann, owing to the clearing of the townsite and the high lands above, the curtailing of the water supply, and the raising of the change in the temperature of the water in Bon Accord creek which makes it no longer suitable for hatchery purposes. It is therefore proposed to transfer the hatchery operations from Bon Accord to the Fisheries Exhibit building in Queen's park.

AMERICAN MOTORBOAT TO COMPETE AT COWES

New York, July 15.—Officials of the motorboat club of America announced to-day that Disturber IV., the fast motorboat owned by Commodore James A. Hugh, of Chicago, which is to go abroad to enter the contests for the British international trophy at Cowes on August 12, will represent the club. Disturber IV. is said to be the most powerful boat ever built in America for an international event.

PATRICIA BAY LINE CONSTRUCTION RAPID

Port Alberni, July 15.—The grading of the Patricia Bay branch of the Canadian Northern Pacific railroad, as well as that of the main Vancouver Island line, has advanced to such a stage that preliminary arrangements are being made for the laying of steel. Tenders will be invited in a few days for the construction of a large wharf at Union (Patricia Bay), for the accommodation of the material which will be utilized in the final operation necessary to put the line in shape for use.

MILITANT SUFFRAGETTES ATTACK RT. HON. T. WOOD

London, July 15.—Two militant suffragettes made a violent attack to-day on the Right Hon. Thomas McKinnon Wood, secretary of state for Scotland, as he was leaving his residence. The women were armed with heavy horse-whips, with which they struck Mr. Wood several times across the shoulders. They were arrested.

TOWED IN FOR REPAIRS.

Fort William, Ont., July 15.—Towed across Lake Superior by the tug Favorite, the steamer Tuffitt Chief arrived this morning and will be placed in the drydock to-night for repairs. The Turret Chief went ashore near Calumet in the great storm of November.



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LOOSE TALK.

A Victoria delegate to the convention of the B. C. Federation of Labor now being held in Vancouver corrects a report of his remarks appearing in the press. He was credited—or discredited—with the observation that he and some of the other delegates from this city would support any request for action regarding the miners with anything "down to open murder." What he did say was that they would support any request for action with "anything short of murder."

We note the correction, but it still leaves the delegate as the apostle of truculence. Apparently he would support a benevolent propaganda which would embody a violation of the nine other articles of the decalogue. "Anything short of murder" includes dynamiting, incendiarism, the tender ministrations of the accomplished yeggman, assault with intent to do grievous bodily harm, even manslaughter. But may we point out that there is a place for people who support their activities with "anything short of murder," a place with gray walls where practitioners of such a doctrine may spend the remainder of their lives.

Another delegate advised the use of bayonets, citing the illustrious defence of the Ulster organization by Mr. Balfour. But here, too, we would point out that this is not Ulster, but British Columbia, and if the delegate and his friends tried the bayonet trick they would get hurt.

All this frenzied nonsense does no good to the cause these delegates have at heart. It terrifies nobody and only antagonizes the great body of public opinion and none more than the working class element which comprises a very important part of it. The methods of the McNamars found no stronger condemnation anywhere than in the ranks of organized labor. The British Columbia Federation contains a large number of earnest, clear-headed, reasonable champions of the cause of labor. It is unfortunate that they have to suffer from association with such irresponsibilities as those whose vapors we have quoted.

THE SUN'S PARALLEL.

"The Vancouver Sun assails Sir Richard McBride for having opened the province by means of railways, which, it alleges, will not be of any advantage to the development of agriculture."

The burden of the Sun's criticism was that the government had done nothing to aid land settlement. It drew a parallel between conditions existing in the Pacific coast states and this province, suggested by a cartoon which appeared in a recent issue of the Portland Telegram. The farmer on the south of us is rejoicing in the prospect of a fifty million dollar harvest due to the adoption of policies designed to promote agricultural production. The Sun pointed out that in this province, on the other hand, agricultural production has not been encouraged; that our importations of foodstuffs which should be produced here were increasing every year and that out of the millions of dollars expended in various ways in the last decade little had been devoted to the practical needs of the agricultural industry. In this connection the Sun says:

"The farmer was forgotten. Those who had settled on land before the advent of the present administration were counted so fortunate in having preceded the speculator that they were not entitled to any assistance; those who had come later and located in the remote districts were not considered deserving of it. They had signified an intention of waiting for the future—then let them wait. So nothing has been done for them in the eleven long weary years the McBride government has been in power. No roads have been built; trails, even, for which the farmer would have been grateful, were regarded as too expensive, since the automobile highways demanded money. Money was found for rail-

ways, it is true, but not for railways to benefit the farmer, but for the enrichment of Mackenzie and Mann."

Economic conditions at the present time establish the accuracy of the Sun's diagnosis. Take, for instance, the case of the Canadian Northern railway in this province, guaranteed in the sum of \$48,000,000 by the people. To what extent will this road stimulate settlement and production? How much of the country is going to be settled by the five hundred mile stretch which parallels the C. P. R. through the most unproductive territory of the province? The question naturally rises: Why should Mackenzie & Mann build a railroad under such conditions? One reason is that Sir Richard McBride wanted a campaign argument and a campaign fund and the other is that the firm of Mackenzie & Mann, Ltd., are the chief contractors and are not particular where they build a railroad so long as they make fat profits out of its construction. They are not worrying over the future. They know that if the line does not pay the province which has guaranteed its bonds will have to foot the bill. Not having been compelled to put up any of their personal fortunes as security, they will be able to retire gracefully from the whole enterprise, leaving the country to wrestle with the problem of management. Had the government pledged the credit of this province in aid of a scheme of land settlement in a third of the amount with which it backed a railroad which will operate largely through unproductive territory, we would not to-day be the largest importer of food products of any province or state on the continent while business conditions would be infinitely sounder than they are. And we go farther and insist that until some such policy is adopted, putting an end to speculation in natural products, settling the land and creating markets for industrial activities in the cities, our material progress will be impaired. The charge of the government organ that in calling attention to these defects of administration a newspaper is injuring the province is not only silly but dangerous. Conditions cannot be improved until they are analyzed and made known. Corruption cannot be stopped if it is wilfully ignored. The greatest enemy to the welfare of this country is that element which seeks to perpetuate existing conditions in the name of patriotism.

A BLACK EYE.

The emissaries of the Borden government did not gain for themselves or for the administration of which they are members very much credit in the Manitoba provincial election campaign. Hon. "Bob" Rogers lost whatever prestige he may have had as an astute organizer, but his reputation for unscrupulousness still clings to him. The Solicitor-General, however, Hon. Arthur Meighen, whose part was played in the open, he being the chief platform oracle, suffered the greatest loss in reputation. His attack was directed largely against the sincerity and good faith of Dr. Gordon (better known as Ralph Connor.) Mr. Meighen charged that Dr. Gordon was a hypocrite, inasmuch as he was a shareholder in and a participant in the profits of a certain hotel. Here are the facts as related by the Winnipeg Free Press:

"Dr. Gordon and a number of other active temperance leaders in Winnipeg put some money in a temperance hotel in Neepawa. The enterprise failed; and the property was sold. Dr. Gordon got a cheque for \$40 for his share of the purchase price—the balance of his investment, \$250, he lost.

"This cheque was issued to Dr. Gordon by J. H. Howden, who represented the purchasers. It was he, of course, who supplied the cheque which Mr. Meighen waived about so dramatically on the platform.

THE ETHICS ARGUMENT.

Correspondents, unquestionably actuated by the loftiest motives, continue to write to eastern newspapers condemning the attitude of this province towards Asiatic immigration in general and East Indian immigration in particular. Some base their condemnation on Imperial considerations and others on the ground of Christian teaching. The latter point out that the teeming millions of the Orient are members of the brotherhood of man and that in erecting barriers against their admission to this country we are flying in the face of the divine injunctions embodied in the Sermon on the Mount.

It is unnecessary to go so far afield for examples of disregard of the ethical principles laid down nineteen hundred years ago in the Holy Land. The whole human family has departed a long way from the trail then blazed. Centuries of traditions and customs have fixed standards which would appear strange to those who preached, and practiced, with blood and tears, the gospel of Christianity in the old world. Were the disciples to revisit the earth and conduct their missions as they did nearly two thousand years ago, in many a community adorned

with splendid sacred edifices and characterized by meticulous observance of the law they would be regarded as cranks. We are not sure they would not be given twenty-four hours in which to leave the place. They would have an unpleasant time in Montreal and Toronto.

The reply we frequently hear to this is that rules of life based upon the teachings of Christianity must take note of conditions which now exist. This is a civilization of practicalities. Certain forms and formulas must be observed. There must be some concession to the spirit of the times. We cannot close our eyes altogether to worldliness in a worldly age. This may be true but neither can we in this province ignore the difference in the standards set up by western and eastern civilizations. We cannot disregard the economic and social distinctions in habits, customs and traditions which the centuries have created between the white and yellow races. Were our friends in the east who are so glibly reading us sermons on Christian ethics in regard to our attitude to Oriental immigration to turn their critical faculties upon themselves they would find that a large part of their daily activities is wholly out of harmony with the strictest interpretation of the code they urge against us. In fact, it is much more discordant than our attitude towards Asiatic immigration, because we base our stand on a natural desire to prevent the lowering of our civilization to the level of that which we consider so inferior to our own that we spend millions every year in sending out missionaries to improve it.

Talk about evolution and reversion to type. The first boat to win the America cup and inaugurate the series of competitions that has attracted world-wide attention was fitted with a centreboard and was opposed by a yacht with a fixed keel. For many years the conditions thus inaugurated were steadily maintained. The American defenders adhered to the centreboard and the British challengers to the keel. Then a change took place, and the Volunteer, which defeated the Thistle, marked the first step in evolution. She, we believe, was constructed with what is known as a fin keel; and all subsequent defenders were of that style. The fourth Shamrock is a centreboard or movable keel boat, while her rival on this side will be of the fixed keel type. Thus the old order is upset completely, and the interest in the race thereby considerably enhanced. The American defenders, however, still have the advantage of not being compelled to build a boat heavy enough and strong enough to endure the test of crossing the ocean.

The Winnipeg Free Press says that Hon. "Bob" Rogers never can be either premier of Canada or High Commissioner in London. Our contemporary argues that the blow inflicted upon the minister's reputation by the result of the elections in Manitoba settles that. But we are not so sure, although Hon. G. H. Perley appears to have nailed himself fast to the High Commissionership. While Hon. "Bob" may have lost his supremacy in Manitoba, he is still strong enough and determined enough to dominate the weak premier of the Dominion. We grant that there is no chance of his ever becoming premier of Canada. The fiasco of the present administration has disposed of that matter not only as far as Hon. "Bob" is concerned, but in respect of every adherent of Toryism in the Dominion, from Sir Richard up. But if Hon. "Bob," appreciating the fact that the game is up, tells Sir Robert that he must recall Mr. Perley, it will be done, or there will be a blowup that will settle the government some time before it is compelled to go to the country and bow its head to the sentence that already is warranted.

Every once in a while Sir Edward Carson takes the platform and says the time for action has arrived. What action? If his provisional government seizes His Majesty's post office, telegraphs and customs, it will ruin every industry in the county and put the banks out of business. Carson's only hope would be in the prospect of a revolution in Great Britain, a possibility too remote to think about. Englishmen, Welshmen and Scotsmen are not going to disrupt their prosperity and cut another's throats over the Ulster quarrel. On the contrary, their apathy in the circumstances moves the big Unionist journals almost to tears. The fact is the people of Britain are sick and tired of the Irish question and will be pleased to have it out of the way.

The provincial ministerial party has returned from its brief tour of the north. Its public report declares that the district visited is bubbling over with confidence in the administration. Privately—ah, well, there will be no election until after redistribution, and Sir Richard will not be in it. The party held no meeting at Hazelton, where the electors some months ago passed a resolution condemning the police administration of the district. Neither did it bring any news of the whereabouts of Simon Gun-a-Noot and the other malefactors who are prancing around

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that portion of the province. What we cannot understand is how the Hon. W. J. and the Hon. W. R. managed to tear themselves away from the numerous admirers of the McBride government they claim they found in the north. They were only absent a fortnight.

President Wilson said "Huerta must go!" And although there were protests from certain interests which were interested in Huerta staying, Huerta is going. Another great moral victory for the undemocratic "schoolmaster." Doubtless Huerta might have been disposed of in another way and probably would have been disposed of in quite a different way if the apostle of the Big Stick had been in the White House, but the difference in methods would have been represented in considerable bloodshed and the results probably would not have been as satisfactory. Always better to let people settle their own domestic difficulties.

Everything in this old world, apparently, is going the pace except the sun, which adheres to its original and established annual and diurnal jog, showing, as yet, no disposition to break "all previous records." A few days ago the driver of a motor hearse was fined for speeding. Another car used for a like purpose crashed into a street car or a railway engine or something, and several of its occupants were killed. So the modern world must speed up and "take a chance" even in the act of burying its dead.

A contemporary comments upon the announcement in the London Daily Mail that the defeat of the Thames crew at Henley by the "Winnipeg crew of Toronto" was an "American victory." This is on a par with an article in another big Old Country journal which referred to the "Dominion of Canada, British Columbia and other places." And all this happens in spite of the fact that Joe Martin has sat in parliament at Westminster for several years.

The Roblin government of Manitoba may have a small majority of the members of the legislature behind it when the house assembles, although recounts and judicial proceedings may shift the apparent complexion of the assembly, but a large majority of the popular vote was cast against it. So that Sir Rodmond's victory was merely technical, the result of trickery and manipulation.

W. D. Scott, superintendent of immigration, is reported in an eastern paper as saying that the East Indians now bound for this coast would not be allowed to land. Nobody can be sure of that. If those immigrants are able to comply with the regulations they must be permitted to land. We have no right to resort to measures not authorized by the immigration law. If that law is not sufficient for the purpose desired it should be amended.

Sir Rodmond Roblin still is premier of Manitoba. Huerta also is president of Mexico in virtue of an "election" recently held, but he is preparing to flee from the country. Both controlled the ballot boxes which decreed their elections, but neither secured a majority of the popular vote.

Militants threw a handful of heavy pamphlets—heavy literature, we presume—at the Rt. Hon. Augustin Birrell and followed it up by calling him a cur. The wrong party applied the epithet which has obtained a wider application since the wild women began to assault old men.

Hon. Martin Burrell, Canada's esthetic Minister of Agriculture, performed the pleasing ceremony of crowning the Queen of the Carnival of the May, or something of that kind, at Nelson yesterday. Now isn't he just too sweet for anything?

TIPS.
Rochester Herald.
The general manager of the Pullman company said that he would just as soon have a part of his pay in tips. We move that his salary be cut in two and that he be forced to depend upon a division with his porters.

DAVID SPENCER, LIMITED

Clearing Out the Balance of Our Linen Dust Coats at \$3.75

Regular Value \$9.75

Every Linen Coat has got to be cleared during this sale because it's our policy not to carry one season's goods forward to the next. We have, therefore, marked these Coats down to a price that will cause them to sell out very quickly, for it's the lowest price at which we have ever marked Coats of this description. These Coats are in the full-length style, with and without belt. Some all-linen and others trimmed with pipings of leather, and still others with collars and cuffs of ratine in contrasting shade. All sizes from Misses' 14 to Women's 44 bust. Ideal summer Coats and an absolutely necessity for motorists.



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A Special Shipment of Better Grade Waists for Large Women

Women who take a large size waist need have no fear of not finding a suitable size in this assortment for we have got all sizes up to 48 bust. As to the Waists themselves, they are in such pretty styles that all who have so far seen them have expressed their delight. Some styles are in handsomely embroidered voiles, others are trimmed with real Irish crochet lace; while there are still others in the plainer effects. All styles show low neck, featuring the newest in Raglan sleeves and yoke effects. Ask to see these if interested in large sizes. The prices range up to \$6.75 from **\$2.50**
—First Floor

Children's Colored Wash Dresses Clearing at Half-Price

A good assortment of styles and colors in striped and checked patterns in fancy crepe, pique, white drill and gingham. Some styles are neatly trimmed in contrasting shades, others have belts in tight and loose effects, featuring the Balkan style. Dresses suitable for holiday and outing wear. All sizes from 2 to 14, but in a limited quantity. Regular values to \$3.00. Clearing at **\$1.50**
—First Floor

Another Special Sale of Men's Shirts

Men in need of Shirts, whether for work, business or outing wear, should take an early opportunity to investigate these special offerings.

- Men's Grey Stripe Working Shirts, very strong and durable, finished with turn-down attached collar, soft band cuffs, all sizes. Special July Sale, each **65¢**
- Men's Fine Cambrie Outing Shirts, in light wove stripes, fast colors, finished with turn-down, reversible collars attached, soft band cuffs, all sizes. Special July Price, each **95¢**
- Men's Print Negligee Shirts, in light fancy stripes, finished with soft bosoms, 3 fresh starched cuffs, coat shape and full size; all sizes 14 to 17. A regular \$1.00 value for **65¢**
- Men's Outing Shirts, in blue, white and cream cambrie, finished with soft French cuffs and separate collar to match each shirt; sizes 14 to 16½. Special July Sale, each **\$1.00**

Men's Bengaline Silk Ties, Special at 25c

Four-in-hand style, full length and in all plain shades. A splendid tie for wear. Special July Sale, each **25¢**
—Main Floor

Thursday's Specials From the Men's and Boys' Clothing Section

- Men's Cottonade Pants—Regular \$1.50 Value for **\$1.00**—These are extra strongly made pants and absolutely the best for working men. There are all sizes and your choice from three patterns.
- Boys' Wash Knickers—Regular to 75c Value for **35¢**, in strong crash gingham and cottons, various patterns most suitable for summer and camp wear.
- Boys' Wash Suits—Values to \$2.00 for **75¢**—Only 20 Suits in the lot, and your choice from various patterns in sailor and Russian blouse styles.
- Boys' Rompers—Regular 75c value, Thursday, **50¢**

Clearing Out the Balance of Our Men's Panamas

We are clearing out the balance of our Men's Panamas. Regular values from \$6.75 to \$12.50. Your choice for **\$4.75**
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The garments that all mothers appreciate, for they save lots of washing and mending.

- At **50¢**—A very special offering in blue and white pink and white check gingham.
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- At **\$1.00**—In plain blue chambray.

—First Floor

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The Gaelic Society will hold their monthly dance in the Foresters' hall, Friday at 9 p. m. Mrs. Ridgard's orchestra.

Bank Clearings.—The bank clearings in Victoria for the week ending July 14, reached the total of \$2,843,145.

British Campaigners.—The monthly meeting of the British Campaigners' association, which would be held under ordinary circumstances tomorrow, has been postponed till a future date.

Lecture to Teachers.—Next Friday Prof. W. T. McDonald, livestock commissioner for the province, will speak on "Bovine Tuberculosis" to the teachers attending the summer course at the high school.

Left No Lights.—Because no lights were left burning when a motor truck belonging to him was left all night standing in Broughton street, Major Byng Hall was this morning required to pay \$10 in the police court.

Will Give Information.—The Canadian Northern Pacific railway officials at Vancouver have indicated a willingness to supply information to the Saanich council regarding the plant and properties of the company in the municipality, as required by the Municipal act. The first request sent to the company had met with a refusal.

Hindus Had Argument.—Constable Munro this morning interrupted a vigorous encounter between two Hindus on Douglas street, namely Sowah Singh and Howan Singh. They were in the middle of a crowd of their fellows, fighting tooth and nail when the patrol appeared. For non-appearance in police court this morning the cash bail of \$20 for each was estimated.

Teachers Are Appointed.—The city school board yesterday appointed Miss Mary Hamilton, of Victoria; J. Putnam, of the Chilliwack high school, and V. L. Plant, of New Westminster high school, as teachers for the Victoria high school, and Misses Martin, Burridge, Hauck and Crow, and Messrs. Hughes, Stewart and Brown for the graded schools. No appointment was made to the position of school nurse.

Province at Fair.—The first display of the provincial exhibit which has been prepared for fair purposes this year is being made at the Winnipeg fair this week. From there the exhibit will be taken in succession to Brandon, Regina, Saskatoon, Edmonton, Toronto, London, Ottawa, back to Calgary in October for the International Irrigation Congress, and to Winnipeg again for the Canadian Lands and Apple show at the end of that month. Special displays will be shown at Killarney, Man. Sherbrooke, Quebec city, and the Dominion fair in this city in September. Two carloads of provincial produce will be sent to the old country for shows there. The main exhibit is in charge of the provincial exhibition commissioner, W. A. Lang, who is assisted by W. J. Brandith and G. E. Grogan.

Officers Elected.—At the semi-annual meeting of the St. Andrew's and Caledonian society last evening in the Foresters' hall, officers for the ensuing term were elected as follows: President, J. Ewing; first vice-president, W. Ward; second vice-president, J. Ellis; secretary, J. Walker; financial secretary, J. Anderson; treasurer, M. Moyer; marshal, M. Gillis; warden, W. Sherrett. The president occupied the chair. During the evening, in connection with the report of the convention of the various lodges of the St. Andrew's and Caledonian society in British Columbia held here on July 1, particular emphasis was laid on the responsibility which devolved on each society in assisting the mother society in keeping Bannockburn as a historical landmark. The sports committee also reported, and other routine business was disposed of.

Are You Going on a Vacation? Have you considered the G. T. P. Steamship Cruise of six days to Prince Rupert, Granby Bay, Stewart—the Alaska Coast. Special fare for July only of \$38.00. All expenses included.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, July 15, 1889.

The Victoria Lumber Manufacturing Co. will shortly proceed with the addition to its mill at Chemalun, enlarging it to a capacity of 250,000 feet per day.

Sir Somers Vive, secretary of the Imperial Institute, is in the city to interview the lieutenant-governor and the provincial government. He has already visited a large part of the empire on the mission to raise a memorial of the Queen's reign.

Stroud L. Redgrave has been appointed an officer in the city police force, vice A. Thomas resigned. Officer Thomas goes as warden to the provincial gaol.

OIL STRUCK ON VANCOUVER ISLAND

Oil is the "topic of the hour" in this city and elsewhere at the present time, and no doubt it would cause considerable excitement, were we to print the above headline on the front page of this paper. This, however, would be insignificant, compared with the excitement caused by the announcement that on Thursday evening, the Frank Rich Musical Comedy Co. would open at the Variety theatre with one of the best musical comedies of the season. People are already clamoring for seats, and it is believed that it will be impossible to accommodate the enormous crowd which will attend this popular place of amusement for the opening performance.

Spurred on Motorcycles.—For exceeding the speed limit of fifteen miles an hour on a motorcycle on July 10, G. G. Wilson was this morning fined \$5 by the magistrate. Mounted Constable Allen estimated the defendant's speed on Douglas street at 25 miles per hour. This Mr. Wilson vigorously denied. T. J. Mackinnon was also fined \$10 for driving his automobile on the wrong side of Vancouver street.

Naval Volunteers.—At the parade of the naval volunteers last evening the issue of uniforms and kit was completed and to-night there will be an inspection by Commander Rose and Lieutenant Plicher of the whole company in uniform. When the issue was finished last night the men broke up into three divisions for the first special drill preparatory to their inspection by H. R. H. the governor-general next month, one for physical drill, another for practice with the six-inch loader and a third for field-gun and recruit drill.

Date Not Fixed.—H. E. Beasley, superintendent of the E. & N. railway, left the city yesterday for Nanaimo, where he will interview officials of the C. P. R. No date has yet been fixed for the opening of the Courtenay extension, the delay being caused by the fact that the engineer of the board of railway commissioners has not yet finished his inspection of the line. Until he reports to the board, and it in turn issues a certificate that the road is in proper condition for the operation of traffic, no date can be fixed. The inspector is expected to return to Victoria towards the end of the present week.

Southern Motorists.—A party of Los Angeles citizens who have motored up from their home city to Vancouver and across to the island, yesterday afternoon, having come down from Nanaimo during the forenoon and leaving on the Seattle boat to resume their journey home by way of Yellowstone park. They were delighted with the scenery on Vancouver island and the good roads they were able to travel over. In the party were Mr. and Mrs. William Snowden and family, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel H. McCreevy and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carpenter and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. Biles and family and E. Lewis and family.

Heavy Penalty.—Lee Jong was sentenced to a year's imprisonment with hard labor by the magistrate this morning for stealing a gold watch worth \$140 from K. Makamura, of 535 Chatham street. The arrest was made by Detectives Murray and Macdonald, who captured Lee Jong after he had returned to the pawn-shop to redeem the watch, which he had pawned. Makamura lives in rooms on Chatham street, and because of the heat was the other evening sleeping in the hallway. He awoke early and looked at his watch which was lying on a table near him. A little later he awoke again, and bending over to discover the time, found that the watch had disappeared. He notified the police of his loss, and the result was the arrest of Lee Jong. The prisoner pleaded guilty to the theft, and had nothing to say. He took his sentence stoically.

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VICTORIA SWIMMERS FOR TERMINAL MEET

Through City Swim May Be Advanced a Week; McNeil to Race

H. Ronald Kenyon, president of the Vancouver Amateur Swimming Club, visited the headquarters of the Victoria Amateur Swimming Club at the Gorge last night and conferred with the members regarding the championship meet to be held at Vancouver on August 1. The discussion took the form of an appeal by Mr. Kenyon to the Victoria swimmers to advance the date of the through-Victoria swim one week so that on August 1 the capital would be able to send a strong representation to Vancouver to compete in the 220 yards and 440 yards senior championships of British Columbia. The Victoria swimmers are considering the matter and Mr. Kenyon hopes to return to Vancouver with the assurance that the crack swimmers of the capital will start at Vancouver on August 1. The Vancouver Amateur Swimming Club at first planned only one gala and that was for August 15, and it was with this in mind that Victoria men set August 1 for the through-Victoria swim. However, the Vancouver men have been obliged to take over some championships relinquished by Port Alberni and the Vancouver Rowing Club, and it has become necessary to hold the extra gala on August 1. The sporting spirit of the Victoria men will doubtless induce them to hold their distance swim on a date other than August 1. Jock McNeil will probably enter the sprints. Miss Madge Griffin will also enter.

YOUTH DEFEATED BY VICTORIA TENNIS STARS

Perhaps the most notable win of the recent tennis handicaps at the Victoria courts was that of J. G. Brown and W. H. Bone in the men's double. This pair with a handicap of plus 15, defeated Messrs. Grant and Hudson in the finals 6-3 and 6-4. The feature of their win is that they exceeded their handicap advantage by their playing in the finals. They came through four rounds with flying colors. Messrs. Brown and Bone aggregating 114 years in age, Mr. Brown being 64 while Mr. Bone touches the 50 mark. Compared with these veterans, the opposing youngsters totalled but 27 years of age. The Victoria pair will not enter the open championships, but they will continue their tennis and further victories may be looked for in future local tournaments.



MADIE DE LONG

"There are three big Cs in vaudeville," says Madie De Long, the clever character comedienne at the Pantages theatre this week. "They are Confidence, Cleverness and Character, and to really succeed one must have them all. No matter how clever a performer may be, it takes confidence to get out before an audience of 2,000 persons and 'put it over.' If you have plenty of confidence and are not quite clever, you may get by, but that's about all. You'll never have your name displayed on the eight sheets in letters a foot high. But, you may have both confidence and cleverness and still not achieve real success. You may be a reigning favorite for a time, but you are soon on the down grade that ends in oblivion. Character in stage life counts for a good deal more than it is generally given credit for, and it certainly pays in the long run."



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THEATRE WILL HAVE TO PAY TWENTY DOLLARS

As the result of action, which commenced some time ago, on the part of Francis Ford and Grace Cunnard, the management of the Romano theatre will have to pay \$20.00 for the best solution to the "Lacelle Love" mystery now being shown at the above theatre. See this wonderful picture to-night. Send in your solution to the manager before July 25.

AUTOMOBILES COLLIDED.

Mrs. R. S. Day Injured in Crash at Corner of Yates and Cook Street.

Mrs. R. S. Day was bruised about the head and shoulders and received a severe shaking-up when the electric runabout she was driving was in collision with the motorcar driven by T. G. Bryant, at the corner of Cook and Yates streets yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Mrs. Day, who was accompanied by Mrs. J. L. Gordon, was driving along Yates street, approaching Cook street. She was on the proper side of the roadway, but when she saw the other motorcar come suddenly out of Cook street, she became excited for the moment and steered her car to the right side, to avoid a collision, instead of continuing straight ahead.

The two cars came together with a heavy crash and the runabout was thrown on its side, the forward part of it being badly smashed. The force of the collision tore the front wheels off the runabout and twisted the axle, the glass in the front and sides being smashed. Mr. Bryant's car was not badly damaged.

Mrs. Day was assisted from the wreckage and taken home. Her escape from more serious injury was very fortunate. To-day Yates street is being cleaned up and it is hoped that her injuries will not be long in passing away. Mrs. Gordon was not injured.

EXCURSION CLEARED \$656

Trip Organized by Ladies Guild of Seamen's Institute Proved Highly Successful.

At the meeting of the ladies' guild of the Connaught Seamen's Institute yesterday, Mrs. Troup presented the financial statement in connection with the recent excursion to Bellingham, this showing a clear sum of \$656 to be added to the building fund of the institute. Mrs. Mortimer Appleby added \$50 to this as the result of her efforts at collecting, while Mrs. Troup and a number of other members also turned in appreciable sums during the meeting.

After the meeting the members visited the site of the new institute on Superior street, where work was found to be progressing very favorably. The floor has already been completed, and brick work will be commenced almost at once. Provided the building is sufficiently near completion, H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught, who laid the corner stone nearly two years ago, will be asked formally to open the institute, this decision being arrived at by the committee after a meeting yesterday afternoon at the office of Mr. Morden with a view to learning just how far toward completion the building will be when T. R. H. the Duke and Duchess of Connaught arrive.

Five new members were enrolled at the meeting of the Ladies' Guild yesterday. Charge Dismissed.—The charge of cruelty to a horse, preferred against F. J. Hammett by the S. P. C. A., was dismissed by Magistrate Jay yesterday. Magistrate Jay upheld the contention of D. S. Tall for the defence that the evidence of Inspector Russell would be inadmissible, as what was told him by the accused was before any warning had been given the accused.

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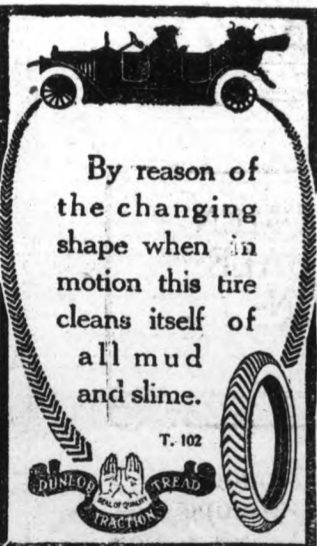
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Along the Waterfront
Shipping News from Day to Day

WHALE CRASHED INTO
GEORGE ON WAY HERE

G. T. P. Steamer Had Unique Experience in Queen Charlotte Sound Yesterday

When steaming across Queen Charlotte Sound early yesterday morning, the G. T. P. steamer Prince George, Capt. Donald, was rammed by a huge whale. Except for a rude shock the ship was unaffected.

It was a peaceful night and Chief Officer Naden was on watch. The men in the wheelhouse saw the whale rising to blow a good distance off and thought that they would pass it without trouble.

Party Reaches Rupert. A special through train from Winnipeg carrying Morley Donaldson, general manager of the G. T. P., and a party of Grand Trunk officials and representatives of other lines, reached Prince Rupert while the George was berthed there and a few of the travellers came south on the steamer.

Among the saloon passengers who arrived in the Prince George were Hon. W. J. Bowyer, attorney-general, H. W. R. Ross, minister of lands, and W. Manson, M. P., who have been on a tour through the north; Mayor Newton, and Chief Engineer C. E. Manson, of Prince Rupert.

TIMES SHIPPING CHART

Table with columns: Steamer, Master, Tonnage, Agents, From, Due. Includes sections for DEEP SEA ARRIVALS, DEEP-SEA DEPARTURES, COASTING VESSELS, SAILING COMING, and FERRY SERVICES.

BELLINGHAM PEOPLE
ARE RETURNING CALL

Chippewa Bringing Excursion From Sound Port Saturday; Everett Citizens Coming

Residents of Bellingham, Wash., have already arranged to return the visit paid to them a few weeks ago by Victorians.

While the Victorians were in Bellingham a couple of weeks ago they asked the residents of that thriving little town to come over some day and return the visit.

On Friday the Chippewa will bring in another excursion. She is billed to sail from Everett, and the reports say that she will have a full complement of passengers when she gets away from the Sound ports.

CANADA CAPE PASSES UP

Early this morning the steamship Canada Cape, Capt. Friend, under charter to the Canadian-Australian line, called off the outer docks to pick up a Vancouver pilot.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

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FALLS OVERBOARD IN
SHARK-INFESTED SEA

Quartermaster of Yokohama Maru Loses His Life in Orient; Fair Trip

Through dislodging the wrong bolt in the after gangway on the starboard side of the Nippon liner Yokohama Maru, while the vessel was steaming in the inland sea on her way to Victoria, one of the Japanese quartermasters was thrown overboard and never seen again.

The Yokohama Maru, which docked here at noon to-day, was on her way into Yokohai to load a shipment of tea. She was making about 13 knots an hour and was 20 miles from her destination.

The men who manned the life-boat had a terrible experience. Capt. Machida left the craft at the scene of the accident in charge of one of the officers with orders to sail to Yokohai.

WIRELESS REPORTS

Point Grey—Clear, S. W., 30.95; 60; Out, S. S. Venture, 8 p.m., northbound. Cape Lazo—Clear, N. W., light, 30.10, 60; sea smooth.

ALTA CHARTERED

Private advices from San Francisco state that the United States barquentine Alta, Capt. Thonagel, which is now riding at anchor in the Royal Roads, has been chartered to load lumber at Vancouver for Cape Town, South Africa.

POWER BOATS START
IN A HEAVY GALE

Only Four Began Race From Vancouver to Seattle Early This Morning

Vancouver, July 15.—The heavy gale which sprang up about 3 o'clock this morning, a couple of hours before the time scheduled for the start of the long-distance power boat race of the Pacific International Power Boat Association from English Bay to Seattle, piled up a tremendous sea in the Gulf of Georgia by the time the boats were prepared to leave their moorings.

The waves were running very high in English Bay and out in the Gulf there was a heavy sea. The gale was blowing fully thirty-five miles an hour, and the daring yachtsmen seemed to be in for the roughest sort of a trip.

The boats which got away this morning and the official starting time were: Yrebelina, Captain A. W. Lepage, Vancouver, 6:03:55; Jolly Mac, Captain H. C. Acroyd, Vancouver, 6:23:25; Kathleen III., Captain George E. Williams, Vancouver, 7:16:10; Corsair, Captain B. Jacobs, Tacoma, 7:29:30; Yamoose, Captain H. B. Pickering, Seattle, 7:30:00.

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SEVEN-YEAR CRUISE

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GOES NORTH.

Then the expedition will steer in the Pacific, for there a most important part of the work will be undertaken. With the opening of the Panama canal new tracks for vessels must come into use, and a wider knowledge of the channels of the Pacific archipelago will have to be acquired.

ROMA BRINGS IN OIL.

With a full cargo of oil for the Robertson cement works, the tanker Roma called off here this morning for a pilot to take her up the Saanich inlet.

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Some details of the expedition have already been made public, but the scheme of the cruise has only just been settled. The expedition will be principally occupied with hydrographical and survey work—the former in the hands of Captain Rupert Jones, R. N. R., of the hydrographic department of the admiralty, and the latter to be undertaken by Lieut. G. N. Humphreys, of the Royal Flying Corps.

Though it will visit the Antarctic coast, and has secured for the purpose Captain Scott's old ship, the Discovery, there will be no attempt to penetrate the interior of the Antarctic continent. The expedition will content itself with the useful work of surveying the uncharted coastline of the Weddell sea quadrant on the outward voyage, and on the homeward voyage it will visit King Edward VII. Land to survey as much as it can of the area between that coast and Graham Land.

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Capt. J. W. Trupp, manager of the B. C. Coast Service, is now in the north, making the round trip on the steamer Princess Alice. He is going right through to Skagway and will return here one week from to-day.

Ballast DANGEROUS

Following the investigation into the loss of the British ship Dalgemar, which foundered off the West Coast last October, the British board of trade has issued an order to shipowners and shipmasters governing the use of "shingle" ballast from Callao.

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Pacific, and will proceed by way of the Austral Islands to Clipperton Island and the Galapagos Islands (which belong to Ecuador, to return home by the Panama canal, New York and Halifax. If all goes well this will be about the year 1919. But the whole plan of the voyage is that time shall be taken for everything, and officers and crew have been signed on for seven years. It is quite possible therefore that the return home may not be accomplished until a year or so later.

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SPORTING NEWS

JAPANESE TEAM PLAYS HERE THURSDAY HILLS CAPTURE JUNIOR BALL TITLE

Clothiers Strengthen for To-morrow's Clash; Travis Twirls Sensational Ball Against White Sox

One of the finest Japanese ball clubs that ever toured Canada will be seen in action in Victoria to-morrow afternoon, when the Meiji nine will meet the unbeaten Clothiers in an exhibition game at the Royal Athletic park. A second game between the Nippon team and local aggregation, and the Ring Sun ball club will be played also. The Clothiers have been strengthened for this game, and Manager Rube McMoran is confident that his ball tossers will be able to win the clash. He has signed up Third Baseman Gravin, Second Baseman Cotette and Pitcher Balcom, and believes that he now has one of the best balanced clubs in the city. Walter Lorimer will probably umpire both games, and a small admission fee will be charged. By way of final preparation for Thursday's big game, the Clothiers yesterday defeated the Law Students 11 to 6 at the ball yard. The Clothiers used Straith and Belcom on the mound, both of these slab-artists being in grand form. The fielding of the Clothiers featured a snap-double play in the fourth cutting off a run. Cotette and McQueen collected extra base clouts, while the winners were helped in the run-making by the Students.

Portland and Spokane to Be Visited by Northwest Golfers

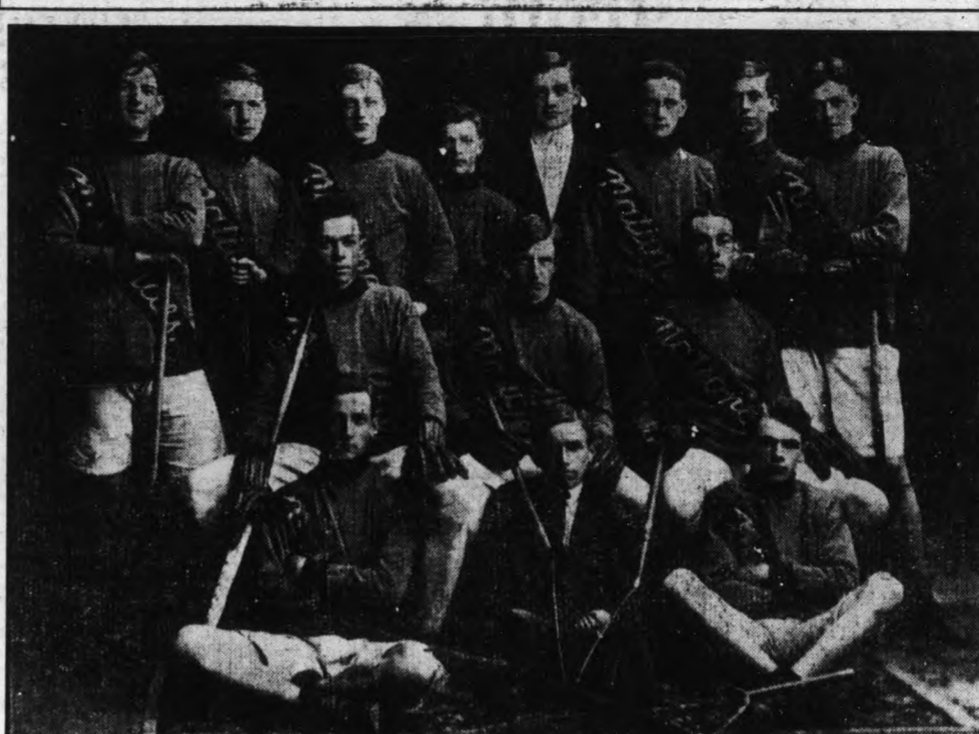
Portland, July 15.—The 1915 championship tournament of the Pacific Northwest Golf association will be staged at Tacoma, Wash., next year under the auspices of the Tacoma Country Club. Spokane has been awarded the 1916 tournament. The 1917 tournament will likely be staged over the Waverly Country Club course of this city or over the links at Gearhart, Or. It was stated early in the present season that an effort would be made to secure next season's tournament for Gearhart, but Tacoma had the call on the seashore links. The Pacific northwest tournaments are becoming bigger and better each year, and it is predicted that next season's tourney will see more players on the Tacoma course than in any previous tournament. The battle for the championship between Chandler Egan, former National champion, and Jack Neville, California champion, was one that will be long remembered by the Seattle golf enthusiasts. Spokane was entitled to the 1915 tournament, but on account of the second nine holes of its course not being decided to let Tacoma stage the tourney next year. The next Canadian tournament of interest will be the open which takes place at Toronto, August 20 and 21. This will be decided by the best medal score in two rounds of 26 holes each. The winners of the tourney will be among the competitors. The ladies' championship tournament will be held at Toronto, beginning on Monday, September 28 and lasting for a week. The United States amateur meeting will be held, opening August 31, at the Kewanok club.

TACOMA CLUB GETS NEXT YEAR'S TOURNEY

Portland and Spokane to Be Visited by Northwest Golfers

Portland, July 15.—The 1915 championship tournament of the Pacific Northwest Golf association will be staged at Tacoma, Wash., next year under the auspices of the Tacoma Country Club. Spokane has been awarded the 1916 tournament. The 1917 tournament will likely be staged over the Waverly Country Club course of this city or over the links at Gearhart, Or. It was stated early in the present season that an effort would be made to secure next season's tournament for Gearhart, but Tacoma had the call on the seashore links. The Pacific northwest tournaments are becoming bigger and better each year, and it is predicted that next season's tourney will see more players on the Tacoma course than in any previous tournament. The battle for the championship between Chandler Egan, former National champion, and Jack Neville, California champion, was one that will be long remembered by the Seattle golf enthusiasts. Spokane was entitled to the 1915 tournament, but on account of the second nine holes of its course not being decided to let Tacoma stage the tourney next year. The next Canadian tournament of interest will be the open which takes place at Toronto, August 20 and 21. This will be decided by the best medal score in two rounds of 26 holes each. The winners of the tourney will be among the competitors. The ladies' championship tournament will be held at Toronto, beginning on Monday, September 28 and lasting for a week. The United States amateur meeting will be held, opening August 31, at the Kewanok club.

CHAMPIONS JUNIOR CITY LACROSSE LEAGUE



Nationals, winners of the Junior City title, who did not meet with a defeat during the entire schedule. The players scored 26 goals and had 15 scored against them. The players from left to right are as follows: Standing; Clegg, point; Lipsky, second home; S. Haulton, second defence; H. Copas, centre; C. Hamilton, manager; D. Drury, first defence; Steele, cover point; R. Copas, first home. Sitting: F. Copas, third defence; D. H. Alexander, inside home; W. Jackson, third home. In front: D. Slater, goal; Pollock, mascot; Newitt, outside home.

ENGLAND BEATS FRANCE IN DAVIS CUP GAMES

Wimbledon, July 15.—Great Britain won the third of the singles matches in the preliminary round against France in the Dwight F. Davis international lawn tennis trophy tournament. The British team will consequently meet at Boston the winning team of the Australasian-Canadian-German matches. T. M. Mavrogordato, of Great Britain, defeated Max Decugis, of France, in three straight sets, 6-1, 7-5, 7-5. Mavrogordato's defeat of Decugis, the French captain, was somewhat unexpected, but Parks fulfilled expectations by beating Max Germot in the fourth singles match in three straight sets, 7-5, 6-1, 6-3. The English team will sail for the United States on Thursday so as to have time for a few days' practice at Boston before engaging in the final round of the competition. E. Harrison and Mrs. Cane defeated Mr. Wheatley and Miss McDermott in the finals of the mixed doubles at the Victoria tennis club's courts yesterday afternoon. The scores were 6-3, 6-4.

WINNIPEG TWELVE AFTER MANN TROPHY

Victoria Players on Challenging Team; N. L. U. Lengthens Field

Victoria's amateur lacrosse squad will hold its final workout to-morrow evening for the game at Westminster on Saturday, when the locals will make a last attempt to get back into the running for the P. C. A. L. A. honors and the Mann cup. Boss Johnston and Cotton Brynjolfsson are assisting the Victoria management in coaching the team and special attention is being paid the home players in order to ensure a rapid-fire attack for Saturday's match. Jerry Clute may be seen in a uniform and if so, he will be placed close to the nets so as to strengthen the goal-getting department. The club is practising every evening at Oak Bay, the City leaguers turning out in large numbers to help out the representative twelve. Winnipeg, July 15.—The Nineteenth lacrosse team practically clinched the senior lacrosse championship of Winnipeg and the right to challenge for the Mann cup, by defeating the Norwoods 8 to 1 in a hard-fought contest here Saturday. The Nineteenth expect to travel west in search of the Mann cup, and the westerners will meet a much different proposition from that which confronted the C. N. R. team two years ago. Lon MacDonald, M. Menzies and McDougall are the Victoria players who went east this spring to play for the Winnipeg club. All three playing brilliant lacrosse and the eastern team will be brought over to Victoria for an exhibition game, irrespective of their success in their cup jaunt. R. J. Fleming and his Big Four club owners have refused the proposal to have the Big Four champions meet the N. L. U. champions in a playoff for the eastern championship. This means that the Nationals and Rosedale clubs will come west for the title, unless they decide that the case is a hopeless one. The Big Four was wise in its declaration not to play the teams in the N. L. U. Outside of a meeting between Rosedale and the teams in the Big Four there would be no interest in the games. The Rosedale team is made up practically of players who jumped from the Toronto and Tecumseh teams of the Big Four, and for any team to play it would be as foolish a policy as for the baseball commission to let a Federal league team compete in the world's series. The N. L. U. has changed the length of the field from 100 yards to 120 for future games. This is expected to help the younger and less experienced players who have lots of speed.

POPE BADLY BEATEN BY VANCOUVER CLUB

Victoria, July 15.—The Victoria club defeated the Pope team in a game at Westminster on Saturday. The score was 11 to 2. The following is the score: A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E. Shaw, 2 b. 4 2 1 3 0 0 0 0 Bennett, 2 b. 4 2 1 3 0 0 0 0 McCarl, 1 b. 4 1 1 6 0 0 0 0 Wotell, 1 f. 3 0 2 2 0 0 0 0 Brinker, c. 5 1 4 1 0 0 0 0 Powell, r. f. 3 1 3 1 0 0 0 0 Scharney, s. s. 5 0 1 0 2 0 0 0 Doty, p. 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 Cheek, c. 5 0 1 8 0 0 0 0 Totals 37 9 15 27 6 0 0 0

TACOMA REFUSES TO BRING KELLER BACK

Tacoma, July 15.—Leonard had the locals safe yesterday when there were men on bases, while Portland took advantage of loose playing on the part of the Tacoma Tigers early in the game, and won by a score of 4-1. Score— R. H. E. Portland 4 6 1 Tacoma 1 6 2 Batteries—Leonard and Murray; Jones, Boatman, Baker and Brotman. Seattle July 15.—Three errors and two hits enabled Spokane to score two runs in the ninth innings yesterday defeating Seattle, 3-1. Score— R. H. E. Seattle 1 3 3 Spokane 3 3 3 Batteries—Fullerton and Hubbs; Hughes and Shea. The disposition of Charles Keller, former second-sacker of the Royals, has involved the Montreal and Tacoma, Wash., baseball clubs in a tangle which is now in the hands of the National Association of Minor Leagues, for adjustment. Montreal does not want Keller, and Tacoma refuses to take Keller back. The affair was carried to the National Association and a ruling is still being awaited by the owners of both clubs. Secretary Farrell announces that the finding will probably come through within the week. The Austin Texas League Club sustained its twenty-seventh successive defeat yesterday. This is believed to be a record, Louisville's 26 straight defeats in 1889 being the closest to Austin's unenviable world's mark. Business Manager Bancroft has arranged with Hollis B. Cooley, chief of special events of the Panama-Pacific exposition, to take to San Francisco two major league teams for a series of pre-exposition games next fall. PLAY AT WINNIPEG. Winnipeg, July 15.—That a portion of the world's championship billiard match between Willie Hoppe and Melbourne Inman will be played in Winnipeg this fall is stated in a letter to Charlie Fletcher from R. B. Benjamin.

McFARLAND AFTER NEW TITLE-HOLDER

Jack Johnson to Meet Carpenter in Paris; Latest Ring Gossip

Chicago, July 15.—Packer McFarland has announced that he will re-enter the ring and challenge Welsh, the new titleholder, for the championship. Packer holds one decision over Welsh, and thinks he can still beat the Welshman. He has long been regarded as perhaps the cleverest boxer in the United States, but local sporting men are skeptical as to his ability to make weight as a legitimate lightweight and still be strong. Paris, July 15.—An agreement was arrived at yesterday when Jack Johnson, the world's heavyweight champion, is to fight George Carpenter, the idol of France, in Paris during October this year. Johnson has been guaranteed \$20,000 by Theodore Vienne, who promoted the Moran-Johnson fight, plus 50 per cent. of the moving picture proceeds and 45 per cent. of the takings. If Carpenter is beaten by Gunboat Smith on July 16, Johnson has the option of cancelling the match. How They Compare. Freddie Welsh, 23 years Age 23 years 5 feet 6 1/2 in. Height 5 feet 7 in. 135 pounds Weight 135 pounds 68 inches Reach 68 inches 14 inches Neck 12 inches 34 inches Chest (normal) 33 inches 35 inches Chest (expanded) 35 inches 28 inches Waist 25 inches 12 1/2 inches Biceps 12 inches 13 1/2 inches Forearm 10 1/2 inches 13 1/2 inches Calf 12 inches 6 1/2 inches Wrist 6 1/2 inches Willie Beecher, the New York light-

BRITISH CHAMPION IS GREATEST OF SPRINTERS

Boston, July 15.—Applegarth, the British champion, has now proved himself one of the great sprinters of the day by his running in the British championships. It is a saying abroad that when a sprinter does even time for the century or the furlong he really does it. This statement is about so, as they certainly know how to time a foot race across the pond. Applegarth won the 100 yards in 10 seconds and the furlong in 21 1/5 seconds. There are some sprinters in this country, namely Howard and Drew and, possibly, Charlie Rice, who possibly can beat the Britisher at 100 yards, but over the furlong it is doubtful if there are any.

TO ENTER HENLEY.

Ottawa, July 15.—The Britannia, champion four-oared crew in the event of a victory in the senior competition at the St. Catharines Henley, will be sent to the English Henley next summer, after the Stewards' cup. The Stewards' cup has already been won by a Canadian crew, Con Riley's Winnipeg four capturing the prize a few years ago.

BASEBALL

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results. Vancouver, 9; Victoria, 6. Portland, 4; Tacoma, 2. Spokane, 3; Seattle, 1. Standing. Won. Lost. Pct. Spokane 56 33 .629 Vancouver 58 35 .624 Seattle 52 39 .570 Victoria 37 55 .402 Portland 34 56 .378 Tacoma 32 51 .361

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At New York—Chicago-New York, double-header, postponed. At Philadelphia—St. Louis-Philadelphia, rain. At Boston—Cleveland, 1; Boston, 2. At Washington—Detroit, 2; Washington, 0. Standing. Won. Lost. Pct. Philadelphia 40 32 .556 Detroit 45 37 .549 Washington 43 36 .544 Chicago 42 36 .538 St. Louis 32 45 .416 Boston 33 38 .465 New York 29 46 .387 Cleveland 28 52 .350

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results. At Pittsburgh—Brooklyn-Pittsburg, postponed, rain. At St. Louis—Boston, 2; St. Louis, 2. At Chicago—New York, 12; Chicago, 8. At Cincinnati—First game, Philadelphia, 5; Cincinnati, 3. Second game, Philadelphia, 2; Cincinnati, 5. Standing. Won. Lost. Pct. New York 44 30 .595 Chicago 43 30 .591 St. Louis 41 29 .586 Philadelphia 36 37 .493 Cincinnati 38 40 .487 Brooklyn 32 47 .405 Boston 32 48 .427

FEDERAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results. At Kansas City—Indianapolis, 2; Kansas City, 7. At Brooklyn—Pittsburg-Brooklyn, postponed, rain. At Baltimore—First game, Buffalo, 1; Baltimore, 3. Second game, Buffalo, 2; Baltimore, 7. At Chicago—St. Louis, 0; Chicago, 11. Standing. Won. Lost. Pct. Chicago 44 31 .587 Indianapolis 40 31 .563 Baltimore 40 35 .533 Buffalo 38 36 .512 Brooklyn 26 34 .434 Kansas City 25 45 .357 St. Louis 23 45 .339 Pittsburg 20 42 .417

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results. At San Francisco—Sacramento, 3; Oakland, 4. At Portland—Los Angeles, 2; Portland, 7. At Los Angeles—No game, San Francisco did not arrive. Standing. Won. Lost. Pct. Los Angeles 58 45 .562 Venice 45 35 .562 Portland 49 42 .533 San Francisco 42 50 .450 Sacramento 37 47 .439 Oakland 29 61 .320

MAINLAND CRICKET.

The Mainland Cricket league standing is: Vancouver W. L. D. Pts. 5 0 3 13 Brockton Point 4 2 1 10 Burrard 4 3 1 9 New Westminster 4 4 0 8 Public Schools 3 5 0 6 Coquitlam 1 7 0 2

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REMARKED ON THE SIDE

Club Owners Want a Change. It is not necessary to remind the fans what a poor set of umpires there is in the Northwestern league, but it is hard to understand why Fielder Jones, the league executive, sits by and listens to the protests of the club owners without taking steps to remedy the evil. There is not a manager or player in the entire circuit who is not finding fault with the umpires, while the fans have become so annoyed that they are staying away from the parks in goodly numbers, declining to see the poor decisions that spoil close ball games. Umpire Wheeler was sharply criticized at Seattle last week and owner Kingham made several appeals to Fielder Jones for a change, but to no avail.

Googly Bowling Ruinous to the Players. Something of a slump has been suffered by googly bowling during the past few seasons. The ball which at one time threatened to revolutionize batsmanship has since been said to have threatened to ruin some bowlers. From South Africa the cry has come that the recent failures have been due to the craze for googly bowling, which at one time infected the colony. Young men with the ability to bowl well in the stereotyped styles turned their backs upon the methods which nature had designed them to use with success, and set out in pursuit of the off-breaking leg break. Most of them were found to be chasing a will-o'-the-wisp, they either had not the perseverance—and no form of bowling requires so much perseverance as the googly—or they had not the "in-born something" to couple the contradictory break with accuracy. They had thrown away the substance for the shadow. But, for all its reverses, the googly, when bowled with a good length, remains the most difficult ball in cricket—the ball most likely to triumph over the perfections of a pitch.

Who will head the Northwestern League in batting this season? The time seems opportune to ask this question, but it will be some weeks before the answer will come. There are a number of good hitters on the circuit, anyone of whom may come through the season with a fat average, but then again they may slump. A perusal of N. W. batting champions will be of interest at this stage.

1901—McIntyre, Tacoma	341	1908—Flanagan, Vancouver	352
1902—Hurlburt, Seattle	333	1909—Bennett, Seattle	312
1903—Huelsman, Spokane	392	1910—Nerdye, Spokane	290
1904—Rockenfield, Spokane	360	1911—Eues, Seattle	352
1905—Rowan, Everett	349	1912—Meek, Victoria	344
1906—Lynch, Tacoma	355	1913—Mays, Portland	344
1907—Householder, Aberdeen	341		

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

All personal items sent by mail for publication must be signed with the name and address of the sender.

A. MacLeod Smith, of Vancouver, is at the James Bay hotel.

William Manson, M. P. P. for Skeena, is now at the Empress hotel.

Miss I. Walker, of Nanaimo, is registered at the James Bay hotel.

J. S. Gordon is over from the mainland and is at the James Bay hotel.

J. M. Creyk, of Toronto, is among the guests at the Empress hotel.

J. H. Allen is in the city from Toronto, and is registered at the Empress hotel.

James Stratton is among the Vancouver people staying at the Strathcona hotel.

Miss Lucy E. Parkes, of Burton, Wash., is a guest at the Strathcona hotel.

F. E. Brenton is in the city from Vancouver, and is stopping at the Empress hotel.

R. B. Leders, of Vancouver, is registered at the Empress hotel while in the capital.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Bell, of Roseberry, Oregon, are registered at the James Bay hotel.

R. G. Moore, of Vancouver, is among the guests at the Empress hotel for a brief stay.

W. F. McAllister is here from Medicine Hat and is a guest at the Strathcona hotel.

R. H. Cilburn is registered at the Empress hotel from Vancouver for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Padelford and son compose a party at the Strathcona hotel from Seattle.

Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Ford, of San Francisco, are at the Empress hotel for a short time.

J. Verstume-Bunbury, of Vancouver, with Mrs. Bunbury, has arrived at the James Bay hotel.

A. L. Carruthers is a Duncan visitor in the capital. He is registered at the Strathcona hotel.

H. Bradford, of Southampton, Eng., is on a visit to the city. He is at the Strathcona hotel.

H. J. Jeavons has arrived in the city from Vancouver, and is stopping at the Empress hotel.

Sir Charles H. Tupper and Lady Tupper are staying for a few days at the Empress hotel.

Mrs. W. V. North and daughter left Sunday via the Northern Pacific for a visit to Dixon, Mont.

Miss Gwendoline V. Stern, of Portland, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Little, at Royal Oak.

M. R. Alexander, of Montreal, is registered at the Empress hotel during a short visit to the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Littlewood are here from Liverpool, Eng., and are guests at the Strathcona hotel.

Mrs. Alice Stevens, of Vancouver, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. Allen, and is at the James Bay hotel.

E. M. Newton arrived in the city this morning from Prince Rupert, and is registered at the Empress hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Sheldon have arrived in the city from Vancouver, and are staying at the Empress hotel.

L. J. Dunn, of San Francisco, registered for himself, Mrs. Dunn and daughter at the James Bay hotel.

Charles H. Harbour, proprietor of the Sooke Harbor hotel, was one of yesterday's arrivals at the Empress hotel.

Mrs. A. E. Colley-Foster and her sister, Miss Reba O. Jones, of Cowichan, are staying at the James Bay hotel.

R. B. Powell and B. P. Schwengers left Sunday via the North Coast Limited for Chicago to compete in the Davis cup preliminaries.

R. F. Tolmie, deputy minister of mines, is making a tour of the boundary district, where there has been considerable mining activity recently.

Hon. Dr. Young, minister of education, returned last evening from Nanaimo, accompanied by Mrs. Young, who has been visiting friends there.

A party of Victorians, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Palmer, Mrs. Dockrill and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Coulson, leaves to-morrow via the Northern Pacific on a tour to Yellowstone Park.

This morning at St. Andrew's cathedral Very Rev. Father Leterme conducted nuptial mass for Mary Ryan and Austin O'Laughlin, both of New York city, who were married at 6 o'clock.

Rev. T. W. Gladstone and Mrs. Gladstone have been spending the past few days at the Sol Duc Hot Springs, and will return in time for the former to take charge of the Sunday services at the Reformed Episcopal church.

Alex. McDermott, Mrs. McDermott and son, Miss Malloy, of Walla Walla, Wash., and Capt. Butler, left last Friday on a week's motoring tour of the Island, during which they will visit Courtenay, Port Alberni, Cowichan Lake, and other points.

W. A. Newton, who comes from the Macdonald College, Ste. Anne de Bellevue, Que., as assistant to John C.



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Ready, soil and crop instructor in the provincial department of agriculture, is expected in the city on Saturday and will take up his new duties on Monday next.

Last evening at "Breadalbane Rev. Dr. Campbell celebrated the marriage of David H. Dougan and Miss Margaret Alderice, both natives of Ireland. The groomsmen and bridesmaids were Mr. Woodman and Miss Mary L. Williams...

Dr. W. F. King, C. M. G., chief astronomer of Canada, and Dr. J. S. Plaskett, Dominion astronomer, left the city yesterday afternoon on their return to Ottawa. They have been here for some weeks in connection with the arrangements for the building of the new observatory on Little Saanich mountain.

Sister Mary Good Shepherd, the newly-appointed superior of the sisters of St. Ann, Victoria, arrived in the city on Sunday evening from Vancouver, with her mother and daughter. The new superior, who assumed her duties at St. Ann's convent on Sunday morning, comes here to succeed Sister Mary Leopoldine, the superior who was transferred some months ago to the mother house at Mont. St. Ann, Lachine, where she is known as Mother Mary Leopoldine...

A distinguished party of Maryland state officials passed through Victoria on Tuesday, en route east from San Francisco, where they had been organizing the state exhibit for the Panama Pacific exposition. They were: Hon. James McC. Tripp, speaker of the house of delegates of Maryland, chairman of the committee; Charles A. Morrow, who is acting as architect and consulting builder; Senator C. D. Benson, Baltimore; Senator A. J. Cummings, Chevy Chase, Maryland, and R. J. Beacham, secretary of the Baltimore Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, who is secretary of the executive committee.

At 2 o'clock this afternoon a pretty ceremony took place at Christ Church cathedral when May Edith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Edward Skerry, of Woldingham Court, Woldingham, Surrey, England, and Horace Herbert, of Victoria, were joined in marriage, the Very Rev. Dean Dodd officiating. The bride was charmingly attired in soft white satin draped with Irish Carrick-macross, with veil and chaplet or orange blossoms, her bouquet being of white roses and lilacs-of-the-valley. Two bridesmaids, her sister, Miss Gertrude Skerry, and her cousin, Miss Lottie Weaver, accompanied her, both wearing pretty frocks of white embroidered crepe voile and white hats trimmed with white tulle and champagne-colored roses. Their bouquets were of pale pink and white carnations. H. E. Thomas acted as best man, and Cecil Skerry, her brother, gave the bride away. The church was simply but prettily decorated for the occasion, and during the ceremony the organist, Mr. Paulin, played the Mendelssohn Wedding March. After a reception was held at the bride's home, 614 Niagara street, where the happy pair were the recipients of numerous good wishes from their friends, among those present being the bride's mother, in a gown of handsome black Brussels lace and net over white silk, and gray tulle hat with Irish lace, white ostrich plume, and touches of pink; Mrs. Trevalle Williams, a sister of the bride, in champagne-colored crepe de chine and black hat trimmed with white ostrich feather, and Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Coton, brother and sister-in-law of the bride.

Representatives of the same organizations met with a pleasing response when they invited gifts of clothing and goods for the marchants and others on Monday. The list is as follows: Angus Campbell & Co., Ltd., goods, \$17.00; G. A. Richardson, goods, \$5.00; The Hat Shop, goods, \$3.50; Varley's Store, goods, \$2.50; Finch & Finch, goods, \$4.35; American Shoe Store, goods, \$3.50; Gordon Drysdale, Ltd., goods, \$2.00; Dynes & Eddington, goods, \$10.00; W. D. King, goods, \$1.50; Mrs. Wexstock, goods, \$1.50; W. W. Woolworth, goods, \$2.50; Employees of W. Duncan, \$1.50; W. C. Warren, \$1.00; Reestrom Manufacturing Co., 1 Mattress, \$1.00; A. Friend, \$1.00; C. Russell, goods, \$2.70; P. Burns & Co., Ltd., Provisions, \$1.00; Young & Mantou, \$2.00; and goods, \$2.00.

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groom. Mr. and Mrs. Coton left this afternoon by the Seattle boat for a tour of the Sound cities, the bride wearing a very chic suit of light buff-colored Bedford cord with white hat trimmed with lace and pink flowers. At the conclusion of their honeymoon trip they will return to Victoria and make their home at Oak Bay.

GIVE TO FUND

Citizens Aid Widow and Children of Late N. C. Summers, Who Died as Result of Fire.

A ready response is being made by the public to the appeal for funds in behalf of the survivors of the fire which on Saturday demolished the Summers home on Fourth street, and resulted in the death of the father and son. Last evening the Times' list had reached \$189, to which amount \$261 has been added to-day, making a total of \$450. In addition to this there are numbers of funds being organized, and yesterday Sir Richard McBride, on behalf of the provincial government, authorized the payment of \$200 for relief purposes. The civic athletic association has also collected \$108, which amount augments the fund very considerably.

The other amounts mentioned below the list are in addition to those mentioned in the Times' list:

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Representatives of the Ladies' Orange Lodge and the Princess Alexandra and Primrose Lodges, Daughters of England, called yesterday and to-day on many residents, most of whom live in the immediate neighborhood of the Summers home. The gratifying total of \$189 was gathered and has been added to the general fund. The following subscribed:

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Total \$119.70. Representatives of the same organizations met with a pleasing response when they invited gifts of clothing and goods for the marchants and others on Monday. The list is as follows:

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Trooper Gullen, of the crack cavalry corps, was standing at the corner of the garrison rendezvous, when a pair of soft little hands covered his eyes and a sweet voice commanded, "Guess who it is?" Nothing very dreadful for the trooper in this, you think, but then perhaps you do not know a soldier's proverbial tact, and, incidentally, it may be news to you that the trooper had several sweethearts, and, for the life of him, he could not decide whose love it was, which made it a very embarrassing situation for him. A wrong guess would lead to complications too awful to contemplate, but suddenly a bright inspiration seized him, and he exclaimed, "Why, it's just the dearest, sweetest little girl in the whole garrison!" "Oh, you darling boy!" smirked the satisfied one, as she removed her hands. And now Trooper Gullen seriously thinks of purchasing his discharge, and applying for a diplomat job at the war office.

Mrs. Goby had been in her new house a month when she received a call from Mrs. Toby. Mrs. Toby was accompanied by her five-year-old daughter Jessie. "What a beautiful house you have, Mrs. Goby," said Mrs. Toby. "Isn't it new?" "It is indeed," replied Mrs. Toby. "And, do you know, I intended calling on you a fortnight ago, but have been so busy." "Oh, mamma, chimed in little Jessie, "you did come!" "How dare you talk like that? Speak when you are spoken to," interrupted Mrs. Toby, coloring up. Tears welled into the child's eyes, and Mrs. Goby sympathetically said: "There don't cry, little dear; you must have been mistaken." "I wasn't," blurted out Jessie. "Mamma knocked over so many times, and then said to me, 'Come on, I suppose we shall have to go to the expense of getting tea in town.' The silence that followed was tragic.

At Bodmin assizes once, a barrister, while pleading, was interrupted by the judge: "Mr. Carter, you are wasting the time of the court." "Time of the court?" retorted the truculent veteran, glaring fiercely at the bench. "Your lordship means—your lordship's dinner!" The judge threw up his hands in despair, and Carter continued, "his harangue in peace. The same redoubtable advocate was on another occasion defending a man charged with obtaining money under false pretences. "False pretences!" said he, with fine scorn. "Why, we all make them every day, barristers and solicitors and judges—the whole lot of us. Talk of the purity of the judicial ermine!" Here he pointed decisively to the learned judge, who sat cowering on the bench. "Why, it's only a rabbit-skin!" Shouts of laughter greeted this irrelevant statement, which investigation would probably show to be literally true.

The nationalization of railways would lead to uniformity of charges. In every European country where the railways are worked by the state, there is one uniform charge over the whole system.—Mr. Emil Davies.

Mexico must be looked at as a great area of diversified country inhabited by fourteen million people who are absolutely without effective and disinterested political leadership of form of national government.—Mr. J. D. Whelpley.

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WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, July 15.—5 a.m.—The barometer is rising over this province and several fine days will prevail. Rain has been general over northern B. C. in the Lower Mainland, and is now falling in Kootenay. Foggy weather is reported on the coast from Vancouver Island to the Columbia river.

Forecasts. For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Thursday, Victoria and vicinity—Strong winds or gales, mostly westerly and southerly, fine to-day and Thursday, higher temperature.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, generally fair, stationary or higher temperature.

Reports. Victoria—Barometer, 30.16; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 54; wind, 16 miles S. W.; weather, clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 58; wind, 12 miles W.; rain, .14; weather, clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.04; temperature, maximum yesterday, 74; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles S. W.; rain, .15; weather, cloudy.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.09; temperature, maximum yesterday, 58; minimum, 49; wind, calm; rain, .79; weather, cloudy.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.20; temperature, maximum yesterday, 58; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles S. W.; rain, .95; weather, cloudy.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.13; temperature, maximum yesterday, 78; minimum, 62; wind, 4 miles N.; weather, cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.20; temperature, maximum yesterday, 70; minimum, 58; wind, 8 miles E.; weather, cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, maximum yesterday, 74; minimum, 58; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.15; temperature, maximum yesterday, 56; minimum, 50; wind, calm; rain, .53; weather, cloudy.

Temperature. Calgary 73, Edmonton 74, Prince Albert 76, Winnipeg 80, Toronto 82, Ottawa 84, Montreal 84, St. John 72.

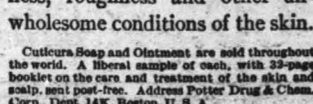
Victoria Daily Weather. Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Tuesday.

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To the Editor:—The dominant note struck in the brilliant address given by the Orange orators (both lay and clerical) at the late patch, seems to indicate that the brethren are obsessed with the idea that when Home Rule for Ireland becomes a reality it will mean that that unfortunate country will immediately become priest-ridden. Let us see how this works out in actual practice. The last census gives the total of priests in Ireland as 3,051. These 3,051 priests attend to the spiritual interests of more than 3,000,000 Catholics, whereas it takes 2,881 parsons to look after the handful of Irish Protestants. Seeing that the number of parsons falls short of the total number of priests by only 170, it would seem that Ireland might more truthfully be described as parson-ridden than priest-ridden. Another

interesting commentary may be found in a consideration of the distribution of offices in the city of Belfast. The board of guardians pays \$84,000 in salaries, of which Catholics get \$3,400. The harbor pays \$56,345, and the city Catholic officials get \$12,550. The water board has on its payroll one Catholic, whose wages are \$325, out of a total of \$22,000. Of the twenty-five medical officers not one is a Catholic. There are 100,000 Catholics in Belfast, more than a fourth of the population. As the Rev. Mr. Chadwick seems fond of history and historians, the following quotations from well known Protestant authorities may prove of interest: The Anglican historian, Mr. Lecky, writes: "Anglicanism was, from the beginning, at once the most servile, the most efficient agent of tyranny"; "Never has church more systematically betrayed and trampled on the liberties of the country." While another Anglican historian, Macaulay, writes: "The Church of England continued to be for more than a hundred and fifty years, the servile handmaid of monarchy, and the steady enemy of public liberty." But I need not multiply authorities. "VERITAS."

MINISTERS RETURN FROM NORTHERN TOUR

Unfriendly Reception at Fort George; No Meeting Held at Hazelton

Hailed by the Conservative press as "the ministerial discoverers of new British Columbia," Hon. W. J. Bowser, attorney-general, and Hon. W. R. Ross, minister of lands, returned to the city this morning on the G. T. P. S. S. Prince George. They entered the province at the Yellowhead Pass, having gone round by Edmonton for that purpose, and traveled over the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway to the terminus at Prince Rupert.

Meetings were held by the ministers at McRae, South Fort George, Fort Fraser and Prince Rupert. It is a significant fact that no attempt was made to hold a meeting at Hazelton, where the attorney-general would have had an exceedingly warm reception from the good people of that place, whose indignation against his department has been growing during the past year. The run from Smithers to Prince Rupert was made on Saturday last, with only short stops at Hazelton, Terrace and other towns where the Liberal leaders had such a splendid reception last spring.

Some facts have come out about the few meetings held which were carefully suppressed by the government press. At South Fort George, for instance, the tone of the meeting was by no means what it has been represented to be by the reports published in the government papers. There were some, where near one thousand of the people of the triple townsite—Fort George, South Fort George and Prince George—gathered to hear the ministers and their two supporters, William Manson, M. P. for Skeena, and J. A. Fraser, senator. M. P. for Cariboo. Mr. Fraser, it might be recalled, got a very uncomfortable time at a meeting

of his town soon after the close of the session. When Mr. Manson attempted to pay compliments to Mr. Fraser at the meeting last Wednesday evening his remarks were received with derisive laughter. Mr. Fraser was given a very cold reception when he spoke, and the minister of lands was frequently interrupted with point-blank denials of some of his statements when he tried to defend the land policy, so-called, of the government.

Sydney Kay, Liberal, replied, and the crowd cheered repeatedly as he denounced the government, in scurrilous fashion, dealing with the administration of lands, the government's railway policy and several local issues. He concluded by moving a vote of censure on the government, but the chairman, Neil Gething, seeing the futility of the motion, declined to put the motion.

Mr. Bowser, in a very excited reply, denounced the Liberal speaker hotly, because he had insinuated that irregularities prevailed in the government policy regarding liquor licenses, but made no attempt to defend the policy of granting land to speculators. John McGinnis, who was Socialist member of the legislature for Grand Forks, from 1907 to 1909, and who is now living in Fort George, replying to Mr. Bowser, declared that the statements made regarding the administration of the liquor laws, and what he called the government monopoly of liquor selling, were only what nineteenth-century people of the district knew to be facts.

Neil Montgomery moved a vote of confidence in the government, but was howled down. A seconder could be found for the motion, and it was not put.

On the trip taken by H. C. Brewster, leader of the Liberal party in British Columbia, and John Oliver through the constancies of Skeena and Cariboo last April they found conditions which more than explain why the ministers and government supporters got such an unfriendly reception, and why it was the part of wisdom for the attorney-general to run through Hazelton, without holding a public meeting. On their return the Liberal leaders said that the faults of the system of government of the province had become pronounced, and the dissatisfaction of the people deeper and more

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generally voiced, the further the tour had advanced. The tying up of the land by its sale to speculators who held it out of cultivation or development was hindering the progress of the province and making it very hard for the settlers who did get a start to get on. The lack of roads and trails was one of the most serious drawbacks the settlers had to put up with, many of them being isolated miles from any possibility of communication with markets, and very often it had been found that men, who were friendly to the party in power were given a road or had a road improved along their property while Liberals had to go without. The inefficiency of the police, the prevalence of "blind pigs," the non-enforcement of the law, and arbitrary and unjust methods of the attorney-general in dealing with liquor and poolroom licenses were all subjects on which the people in the towns felt keenly.

The most bitter complaints heard were those in regard to the land and the system which allows so much of it to be tied up by the speculator. Of this Mr. Oliver said: "At Hazelton we were waited upon by a number of people who are vitally interested in the settlement of the lands, and there, as everywhere we went, the chief burden of complaint was the want of good roads over which to carry what the settler produces to market, the isolation of their ranches owing to the immense areas held out of cultivation by speculators, the impossibility of living on and bringing the land under cultivation at a return that would bring in a livelihood with the conditions as they are, the requirement of a large license being taken out by farmers and the imposition of a heavy license fee on packers."

"At Fort Fraser the blanketing of the whole country by fraudulent purchases of public lands, the impossibility of obtaining homestead entries on suitable lands and the failure of the government to furnish roads are all having their effect in creating dissatisfaction with the administration. The meeting we held at South Fort George passed a resolution unanimously favoring the holding of an inquiry into the alleged fraudulent acquisition of public lands by powers of attorney."

"Every person we conversed with in this section condemned the action of the government in allowing the land to be locked up by the speculator. We were informed that many of the pre-emption holdings were being kept for speculative purposes and not for production. A number of the pre-emptors had made improvements and raised crops but could not get their produce to market on account of the lack of roads. The condition of the whole country from Prince Rupert to Fort George shows the incompetency and neglect of the governing powers. Under a wide-awake government there would have been in that country to-day at least one hundred thousand settlers engaged in the production of farm crops, with many times that number in a few years. A wise government would have taken energetic measures to secure the manufacture of the timber, which must be removed from the land, into commercial products. As it is now we have some six hundred miles of the Grand Trunk Pacific in British Columbia ready for operation in a few months and practically nothing being produced along the whole of that distance to furnish local traffic for the railway."

Of the administration of the criminal law and the efficiency—or otherwise—of the provincial police, as the people in the interior speak of them, the leaders had this to say: "At almost every point we touched we heard complaints of the neglect and inefficiency of the police, of the manner in which they are alleged to be grafting, and of the loose administration of the law against illegal resorts. There is a great deal of feeling in regard to this, as was shown at Hazelton when the bank robbery took place and the police, as usual, came in after everything was over. At Fort Fraser we not only heard the general dissatisfaction created by the corruption and inefficiency of the police but at the meeting which we held there we had a gentleman in the audience who appeared to be well known to all those present get up and tell us that he had been served with whiskey by a provincial constable named McGinnis in a blind pig kept by a man named Shannon near that place, and that he

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had paid McGinnis for the drink. The statement was frequently made to us there that the hotelman or poolroom keeper who would not stand for police graft was harassed in the lawful conduct of his business.

"At South Fort George we were told the same tale as elsewhere of the arbitrary action of the attorney-general in granting or refusing hotel and poolroom licenses according to his own sweet will and pleasure, and without any consideration of what is right and just. The inefficiency of the provincial police was very much in evidence there, loafers and drunkards being allowed to block the sidewalks in front of the only premises where liquor is licensed to be sold to such an extent that would-be passers-by, including women and children, have to walk out into the mud of the so-called street or cross to the opposite sidewalk. Disorderly houses are allowed to exist in such close proximity to churches that the congregation cannot escape hearing the foul and obscene language of their inmates and frequenters."

There are many complaints about the public works that have been undertaken in that district. Mr. Oliver stated on his return that he did not know who was responsible for the location of the approaches to the government bridge over the Bulkley river between Old Hazelton and the new town, but thought he would have been more fittingly employed in wheeling a wheelbarrow upside down in the asylum grounds. There was to be seen a road following the sinuosity of a creek down the sides of a steep ravine, dropping some three hundred feet in the process, crossing an old narrow bridge, and rising up a twenty-five per cent. grade for a rise of approximately four hundred feet, with the day in the side-hill cuts continually sliding down and blocking up the road. The government continued to employ men to shovel the mud over the bank into the river, the mud continued to come down, the money continued to go out, and the same old conditions continued without any attempt at intelligent handling of the problem.

While at Fort Fraser on April 11 his majesty's royal mail stage got in, two days out from Prince George to miles distant. The stage driver had used eight horses in relays and had brought in animals had been made over the ice of Fraser lake and this party accounted for the unusually fast time made. This time was on record and spoke volumes for the excellent quality of the government roads in that valley.

Driving from Prince George to South Fort George the driver of the heavy rig broke the wagon pole on the way. Mr. Oliver said he thought he had seen some rough transportation in his time, but never had he seen anything to be compared with the so-called roads in that part of the country. Wagon axles were in the mud one minute, passengers leaning far out over the other side in an effort to avert an upset the next, or getting out and walking in the deep mud when the team was unable to pull the rig further. Heavy teams were to be seen moving lumber for building purposes at two hundred and fifty feet, board measure, to the load, and every other form of teaming cost five times as much as it ought to do owing to the want of proper roads. There was one small sign of activity on the part of the local government at that place, as the visitors saw the "chain gang" actually making an effort to construct some sidewalks along Bower avenue, between the two towns.

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TO-DAY IN CANADIAN HISTORY

Trinity college, in Toronto, received its royal charter sixty-two years ago to-day. The famous Anglican educational institution is one of many monuments to the energy of Dr. John Strachan, bishop, theologian and polemicist, who was practically the pioneer of higher education in the upper province. His school at Cornwall turned out many of the greatest Canadians of the early days. On his conception of education was based King's college, later the University of Toronto; Upper Canada College, and Trinity, which was his favorite institution, as representing the educational centre of his cherished church. By the provisions of the royal charter of July 15, 1852, the government of Trinity was vested in a corporation, composed of the bishops of the five dioceses of the province, Toronto, Ontario, Huron, Algoma and Niagara; the trustees, three in number, and the council, consisting of the chancellor, the provost and the professors. In the early days of higher education in Upper Canada, Toronto was the great educational centre. Besides Trinity college, there were King's college, a sectarian institution which was later secularized as the University of Toronto; Knox college, a Presbyterian institution founded in 1843; McMaster university, a Baptist college, and Victoria university, formed by a federation of Albert college at Belleville and Victoria college at Cobourg, under Methodist control. Bishop Strachan, who began his Canadian career as master of Cornell Grammar school, secured from George IV. the charter for King's college at Toronto, or York, as it was then called. The college had its divinity faculty and its daily religious services according to the use of the Church of England, and this aroused much excited opposition. In the early 50's the divinity faculty and professorship were abolished, and it was to meet his ideal of sectarian education that Dr. Strachan then founded Trinity college.

FIRST THINGS

The first Canadian province to be carved out of the vast territory formerly held by the Hudson's Bay company was Manitoba, which was duly constituted a province of the Dominion by royal and parliamentary enactment forty-four years ago to-day, July 15, 1870. The Hudson's Bay company reigned supreme in the American northwest from its organization in 1670 until Lord Selkirk planted a colony, called the Red River settlement, near Winnipeg in 1812. In 1869 Canada purchased the territory from the Hudson's Bay company, but an insurrection of Indians and half-breeds led by Louis Riel had to be suppressed before the Dominion government could take possession. In 1871 British Columbia joined the Dominion, and the country between the two western provinces was organized into the Northwest Territories. Out of the latter were carved, in 1905, the provinces of Saskatchewan and Alberta. Until comparatively recent times western Canada was believed to be unfit for farming purposes, and the so-called "fertile belt" was restricted to the vicinity of Winnipeg.

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HUMAN PROCESSION

If you ask the average intelligent "gringo" in Mexico what individual has exerted the greatest influence in the affairs of the turbulent republic during the last decade, he will name, not Porfirio Diaz, nor Madero, nor Huerta, nor Carranza, nor Villa—nor Rockefeller nor Guggenheim, nor Woodrow Wilson nor William Jennings Bryan—but an Englishman, Baron Cowdray of Midhurst, better known as Lord Cowdray, or by his former name of Sir Wetman Dickinson Pearson. As an example of his lordship's power, it is to be noted that of the three Mexican delegates to the Niagara Falls peace conference, exactly three of them were counsel in the pay of the Agulla, or Eagle, Oil company of Mexico, Lord Cowdray's corporation. Whatever interests might be overlooked at Niagara, they were not likely to be those of the English baron who is also the baron of the Mexican oil fields. Within the last few years Lord Cowdray has sought to extend his holdings to South and Central America. While Lord Murray of Elibank, acting as the Cowdray agent, "gummed the works" in Colombia, the Pearson firm has been more successful in other Latin countries, and Lord Cowdray has by no means abandoned the Colombian enterprise.

Wetman Dickinson Pearson was born fifty-eight years ago to-day, July 15, 1856. He became a baronet in 1894, and a baron in 1910. The firm of S. Pearson & Son, Ltd., of which he is the head, was originally devoted to engineering work. The founder of the firm was Cowdray's grandfather, and the "son" was his father, George Pearson. Many of the greatest engineering projects of the last half century were carried to completion by the Pearsons. They built the Blackwell tubes under the Thames and the Pennsylvania tunnels under the East river at New York. The great drydocks at Halifax and Malta, the harbor works at Dover and Vera Cruz, the Great Northern railway and the London "tuppenny tube," and the Tehuantepec railroad in Mexico were among the achievements of the world-famous firm of engineers.

Lord Cowdray's interest in Mexico began with the Vera Cruz harbor works and the \$15,000,000 Valley of Mexico drainage canal. Old Porfirio Diaz was so well pleased that he awarded to the Pearsons the contract for the reconstruction and completion of the Tehuantepec transcontinental railway. The work was commenced in 1902, under a fifty-one year limit, but Porfirio was still on the "throne" when the gigantic task was completed, with the Atlantic terminal port at Coahuacuilcos and a Pacific port at Salina Cruz.

These contracts brought Lord Cowdray into close contact with Diaz, and the two became firm friends. Cowdray was rewarded with vast oil concessions in Mexico, much to the consternation of Standard Oil, and organized a company for their development in which President Diaz was a director. The English company did not fare so well during the Madero regime, and there was talk of confiscation, and at one time it was reported that Lord Cowdray was willing to sell to Standard Oil. Huerta was more friendly to Lord Cowdray, and it has been alleged that the Huerta government has been financed by English capital.

Lord Cowdray, when he was made a baron, named himself after his estate, Cowdray Park, which he bought from the Earl of Eglmont five years ago. In choosing this title the oil magnate defied superstition, for Cowdray park has for centuries had the reputation of being haunted by particularly malevolent spirits.

Golf has none of the essentials of a great game. It destroys, rather than builds up character, and tends to selfishness and ill-temper.—B. J. T. Bosun-puet.

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St. Swithin's day, if thou dost rain, For forty days it will remain; St. Swithin's day, if thou be fair, For forty days 'twill rain nae mair.

So remarked our ancestors every fifteenth of July, which is the festival of St. Swithin, confessor, bishop and patron of Winchester, England, who lived in the ninth century. As usual, our ancestors were wrong, but superstition has more lives than a cat. Our credulous forefathers easily might have dispensed the St. Swithin legend, and but were fond of "signs," and denounced as heretics and infidels all persons who sought to destroy their pet illusions.

It has remained for the sapient and homoclastic scientists of the present generation to "show up" St. Swithin as the impostor he is. Meteorological records prove conclusively that there is more truth than poetry in the ancient verse about St. Swithin and the weather—and absolutely no truth. On the contrary, statistics show that in both Britain and America a wet St. Swithin's day is more likely to be followed by a drought than a deluge.

It is only giving St. Swithin a square deal, however, to say that he never posed as a prognosticator of the weather, and that this reputation was assigned to him after he was dead, and couldn't help himself.

According to the tradition which accounts for Bishop Swithin's vogue as a prophet the saint asked that he be

buried in the common graveyard, instead of in the church. This request was complied with, but about a century later the clergy decided that the last resting place chosen by Swithin was not in keeping with the dignity attaching to the bones of a bishop. When they prepared to dig up all that was mortal of Swithin, the clouds poured forth a veritable deluge, and the rainfall continued without intermission for forty days. After that the priests decided that it wasn't safe to disregard Swithin's preferences, and they built a chapel above his grave, where—it is hardly necessary to add—many miracles were performed!

This legend is very interesting, and it is an excellent example of the inventive genius of a newspaper writer of the eighteenth century! He was a trifle careless as to the facts, however, for the removal of Swithin's bones was accomplished with much ceremony and without any interference from the elements. Probably it was very warm and dry, and, in any event, the weather during the ceremonial and feast which marked the translation was described as "most propitious."

Swithin was never canonized by the Pope, so he is not a regular saint in good standing, but only what is called in England a "home-made saint." Many other saints have been popularly associated with the weather, in Scotland and generally throughout Europe it was believed that rain on the festival of the Translation of St. Martin, July 4, betokened wet weather for twenty days thereafter. In France St. Medard was the "weather saint," probably because of the legend that on one occasion when the saint was caught in a heavy rain an eagle hovered over him and served the purpose

THE LONDON BOBBY.

Americans probably appreciate the London policeman, or constable, as he is officially known, more than any other visitors to the English capital. One pretty American girl confessed that one of her chief amusements was to ask all sorts of questions of London policemen because they invariably gave her answers to the best of their knowledge.

The guardians of the other capitals of Europe were not so obliging. The Paris policemen, many of whom have served in the army as non-commissioned officers, cultivate a brusqueness that frequently degenerates into absolute roughness when asked questions that for one reason or another they are not inclined to answer.

The Berlin policeman is not a person to be trifled with. He is military to his fingertips, has no time for pleasantries or answering what he considers useless questions. Though he salutes women he is quite ready to take into custody any one who violates one of the thousand or more municipal regulations. If foreigners ask him questions they are as likely as not to be unanswered, unless he has been addressed by his honorary title of "Sergeant of Horse."

If my party cannot secure power without adopting the tactics of the chancellor of the exchequer I hope they will never be in power again.—Walter Long, M. P.

Clergyman Endorses Cure Of Nervous Prostration

Four Doctors Had Failed—Hope Given Up

Mrs. E. T. Ford, 55 McGee Street, Toronto, Ont., states:—"Some time ago I was ill from nervous prostration and for many weeks was in a very serious condition. I was treated by four different doctors without receiving any benefit from their treatment. I had quite given up hope when one day my husband saw Dr. Chase's advertisement, and it seemed so to suit my case that I bought a box of Nerve Food. I improved so rapidly that I continued using the Nerve Food, and I am thankful to say, it worked a complete cure. Since that time, we have never been without it in the house, and I gladly recommend it to all my neighbors."

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Rev. G. M. Holmes, Pastor of Eastern Ave. Baptist Church, Toronto, writes:—"I have known Mrs. Ford as a member of my church for over two years, and know that any statement she would make would be correct."

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Sir Bertrand Dawson, who has been appointed by King George to be his principal physician and the head of his large staff of medical attendants, in the place of the late Sir Francis Laking, is no stranger to his sovereign. For he has been connected with the royal household ever since 1907, when he was first called in to assist in the care of Edward VII. Few men of his profession are more widely and more favorably known, and he is regarded as the greatest authority in England on gastro-intestinal maladies. He has been for the past ten years the principal physician in the London hospital, makes his home in Wimpole street, like all the most eminent men of his calling, and is exceedingly well off, having married one of the daughters and heiresses of A. F. Yarrow, whose celebrity as a builder of torpedo destroyers is world wide.

How very discreet Sir Bertrand is may be gathered from the secrecy which he maintains with regard to his life. No indication of which is to be found in any of the standard works of reference or medical directories. He comes from a long line of doctors, his father and grandfather having belonged to the medical profession before him, and if he has been selected to succeed Sir Francis Laking in preference to any other physician it is because he specializes in that particular branch of his art in which the king has most occasion to be interested. For the weak points, medically speaking, of George V.'s condition of health are precisely the stomach and the digestive organs, which have given him trouble ever since that severe attack of typhoid fever to which he so nearly succumbed twenty years ago, and which carried off his elder brother, the Duke of Clarence, who was seized thereby at the same time.

The responsibilities which rest upon Sir Bertrand Dawson as chief physician to his sovereign are exceedingly heavy, and constitute a severe strain upon whatever nerves he may have. For it is to him that not only the royal family, but also the government look to preserve the monarch in good health. It is a health upon which depend the greatest dynastic, political and economic interests, all of which are bound to be more or less injuriously affected by anything untoward happening to the king or by a change in the tenure of the throne.

In order to safeguard the sovereign's health, Sir Bertrand is obliged to exercise a good deal of tactful authority in compelling him to adopt the necessary precautions, and all sorts of rules of life and diet, which are intensely tiresome and calculated to impair one's normal enjoyment of existence. Now monarchs, even in the most constitutional of countries, are so much accustomed to have their own way and to command, that they are loath to rebel against the idea of obeying the directions of anyone else, even of their physicians, and both Queen Victoria and King Edward gave their doctors no end of trouble in this respect, their physicians being obliged to use the utmost diplomacy in dealing with them.

If there is the slightest mistake made in the medical treatment of the royal patient the chief physician is quickly called to account, not alone by his professional brethren, but also by the public, in such a manner that his medical and social career are at an end.

It is quite natural that the sovereign's chief physician should acquire a very great influence over him or her. The sway wielded over King George IV. by his doctors was made the subject of frequent denunciation in the press and in parliament, throughout his reign, as being not only unconstitutional but also

indefensible, and while Sir William Jenner, who was for so many years the chief doctor of Queen Victoria, is remembered in this manner, yet his influence over his royal mistress was so well known among the initiated that it was on several occasions invoked by her ministers and by her principal advisers, in moments of grave constitutional crises, when it was found impossible to induce her in any other fashion to give way.

That is why the appointment of Sir Bertrand Dawson as chief "physician in ordinary" to King George is one which is of importance, not merely to members of the royal family and of the court of St. James, but to the English nation, to the British empire, and to all those foreign countries that are on terms of friendship therewith.

Although the activities of the militant suffragettes in Great Britain and the chaotic condition of affairs in Ireland, where three armies, namely, that of the crown, that of the Ulsterists and that of the Nationalists, all ready armed for the fray, are confronting one another, awaiting the spark that is to start the conflagration of civil war throughout the Emerald Isle, and might be expected to occupy the attention of the reading public, yet the pages of the English metropolitan and provincial press have been filled for a number of days with denunciations and articles concerning the expulsion of a barely 15-year-old boy, a grandson of the late Lord Castlemaine, from Eton, for the perpetration of a boyish lark. The escapade consisted in hiring an automobile and riding off therein with a school-mate to a riverside inn at Maidenhead for mid-night supper. There were no ladies concerned in the party, and the lark, which were of the same age, were captured by their masters before they even had time to eat their supper.

The consensus of opinion seems to be that Canon the Hon. E. Lyttelton, head master of Eton, was unduly harsh in expelling such small boys for what was after all very harmless frolic, that is to say, harmless in its freedom from any form of vice, and that a good birching—since birching is still in vogue at Eton—would have fully sufficed in the way of punishment.

In order to understand the condemnation to which Canon Lyttelton is being subjected in the matter it is necessary to explain that expulsion from a college such as Eton follows a lad throughout his life. Several instances of this kind have come under my personal notice, and I particularly recall the case of a young baronet of considerable wealth, son of one of the most famous engineers of his day, and married to a singularly charming woman. Spending a winter at Cairo during the early years of the British occupation he was boycotted by all the English officers stationed there, several of whom were former Etonians, and as a result thereof by the entire society of the place, because he happened to have been expelled from Eton. The cause of his expulsion was neither mentioned nor asked. The very fact that he had been expelled from Eton was enough to bring him with a stigma, and it followed him throughout his life, to the intense distress of his wife until his premature death, a thoroughly broken-spirited and unhappy man.

That is why the Hon. Mrs. Broughton Adderley, sister of the present Lord Castlemaine, and mother of one of the boys who had just been sent away from Eton, is protesting so bitterly against the handing-over of his entire career through his expulsion from Eton. She realizes that it is useless any longer for him to attempt to enter the navy, for which he was intended, and has announced that she is making arrangements for him to make a future for himself in Canada.

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SONS OF ENGLAND B. S.—Alexandra Lodge, 116, Meads first and third Wednesdays, Friendly Hall, Courtney B. D. Brown, 216 Shelburne St. president; Jas. F. Temple, 163 Burdette St., secretary.

LOYAL ORDER OF MOORS, No. 785, meets at K. of P. Hall, North Park street, every Tuesday. Dictator, P. Bates, 1465 Woodland road. C. E. Copeland, secretary, 1320 Minto street, P. O. Box 1017.

LOYAL ORANGE ASSOCIATION—L. O. I., 1610, meets in A. O. F. Hall, Broad street second and fourth Mondays. J. C. Seaton, 412 Dundas street, W. L. Warren, R. S., 29 Cambridge St.

K. OF P.—No. 1, Par West Lodge, Friday, K. of P. Hall, North Park street. A. G. H. Harding, K. of R. & S., 15 Broad street, 1068 Government street.

COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 4, I. O. F., meets Wednesdays, 8 p.m. in Odd Fellows' Hall, Douglas street. D. Dewar, R. S., 1240 Oxford street.

COURT CARIBBO, No. 748, I. O. F., meets the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at Prince of Wales Hotel, King, Rec. Sec. E. P. Nathan, Fin. Sec.

VICTORIA, No. 77, K. of P., meets at K. of P. Hall, North Park street, every Thursday. E. C. Kaufman, K. of R. & S. Box 164.

A. O. F. COURT NORTHERN LIGHT, No. 9925, meets at Foresters' Hall, Front street, Wednesdays, 8 p.m. W. F. Fullerton, Sec'y.

THE ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR meets on 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at 8 o'clock in the K. of P. Hall, North Park street. Initiating members cordially invited.

AGREEMENTS OF SALE

FOR SALE—LIVESTOCK.
HORSES—Four heavy horses for sale, suitable for teaming or farm work. Anthony, 407 Jones Building. Phone 4936.

FOR SALE—ARTICLES.
SEWING MACHINE, new White rotary, for sale. Phone 2721R.

WE HAVE ON HAND 25 brand new, unclaimed, ladies' tailor-made suits, regular values from \$30 to \$40, all sizes and colors; your choice \$10 a suit. M. Stern, 609 Yates street.

SAVING—Launch, 22-foot, 5 h. p. engine, motor, boiler, Apply 2620 Government street. Phone 571L.

WAGONS—One stick wagon and one three-ton truck for sale. Anthony, 407 Jones Building. Phone 4936.

LUMBER—Rough or dressed, windows, doors, mouldings, turnings, bandsawn, etc. Your requirements, large or small, given careful attention. E. W. Whittington Lumber Co. Ltd., Bridge and Hillside avenue. Phone 2697. 1/20

FOR SALE—Genuine S. S. Stewart pony concert banjo, with leather case, \$15; genuine George Washington racing bicycle; Williams brass cornet, \$15; plumber's gas torch, \$15; plasterer's trowel, \$2.50; large navy brass shell, \$2.50; complete set Dickens' works, 10 volumes, \$5; bicycle caps, 10c; Gillette safety razors, \$2.50; Wade & Butler razor, \$2.50; Jacob Aronson's new and second-hand store, 572 Johnson street, Victoria, B. C. Phone 1747.

FLAT-BOTTOM SKIFFS in stock and for sale. Jones, 327 Fort street. 129 1/2 1755.

VACUUM CARPET SWEEPERS for sale, \$110 Douglas street. 1/21

FOR RENT—HOUSES (Unfurnished)

FOR RENT—Seven-room house on McCord street, between Linden and Moss. Apply 1613 Monterey Ave. Phone 2691R.

MOSS STREET—Near car and sea, most desirable, eight rooms, fully modern home, rent \$40, immediately. 3481/2 Sayward Block. Phone 3513, 4218L, 1/16

TO LET—View street, 7 rooms, \$25 per month; Kingston street, 8 rooms, \$30 per month; Mary street, 10 rooms, \$35 per month; Toronto street, 7 rooms, \$35 per month; Empress street, Willows, 8 rooms, \$30 per month; Chambrlain street, 8 rooms, \$30 per month; John street, 5 rooms, \$15 per month; Slater street, 5 rooms, \$15 per month; Donnal street, Victoria, \$40 per month; George street, 5 rooms, \$25 per month; Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates street. Phone 3716

TO RENT—7 roomed, fully modern conveniences, newly decorated throughout, 4 circle, \$30. Harris, agent, Sayward Block. Phone 3513, 4218L. 1/16

FOR RENT—A large house, suitable for a boarding or rooming house; low rent. Apply Thacker & Hoyt, 600 Speed Ave. 1/16

TO LET—New, six roomed cottage, partly furnished, Saanich Arm, Phone 3481/2 1/16

TO LET—Centrally located, modern, 7-room house, with furnace. Rudin St., near Chambers St. rent \$30 monthly. E. W. Whittington Lumber Co., owners. Phone 2697. 1/16

TO RENT—Seven roomed house, close to Fowl Bay beach and car. Apply 1/21 Robertson street.

TO LET—Small house in Fairfield, cheap to party buying furniture. Box 1679. Times. 1/16

FOR RENT—5-roomed house on Harrison street, very moderate rent to proper parties. Hinkson Siddall & Son, 404 Jones Bldg. 1/16
COMPACT AND COMFORTABLE—Four large roomed houses, conservatory well arranged, H. and C. basement, good garden, flowers and vegetables, fine cow house, 2000 ft. water supply from Burnside and Gorge cars; rent \$18, less on lease. P. O. No. 564, Victoria. 1/16
FOR RENT—5 roomed cottage, Yates street. Apply 1122 Yates street. 1/16
FOUR ROOMED HOUSE to let. Apply 2311 Rose street. 1/16
HOUSE TO RENT 4 rooms; furniture for sale cheap. Box 1570, Times. 1/16
FOR RENT—New 2-roomed furnished cottage, suitable for 2 or 3 persons, 10 months. Mabon, Foster St., Esquimalt. 1/16
FOR RENT—6 roomed house, on corner lot, backing Penwood Rd. Apply 1/21 Denham St. 1/16
FOR RENT—Fully modern cottage, Bay street. Apply 1028 Yates street. 1/16
FOR RENT—HOUSES (Furnished).
TO LET—Quebec street, 8 rooms, fully furnished, \$50 per month; Pandora avenue, 6 rooms, furnished, \$30 per month; 6 roomed house, Victoria, \$25 per month. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates street. Phone 471. 1/16
TO LET—Furnished, good location, comfortable, suitable for 2 or 3 persons, rent \$35 per month. E. W. Whittington Lumber Co., owners. Phone 2697. 1/16
TO LET—Furnished house, modern. Apply 101 Dallas road. 1/16
TO RENT—Furnished, five roomed bungalow, good bath and all modern conveniences, \$35 a month. Apply Flint & Co., Broughton street. 1/22
FOR RENT—MISCELLANEOUS.
FOR RENT—Ten-stall stable, close in. Apply 1017 Pendragan. 1/20
OFFICE—One room office in Times Building. Apply at Times Office.
HELP WANTED—FEMALE.
WANTED—A first-class hand ironer, also marker, 1160 Douglas street, 8100 Laundry, Ltd., 841 View street. 1/16
WANTED—Pupils for shorthand, typewriting, bookkeeping, etc. Mrs. Barclay, 1663 Bank street. Phone 3664R. 1/16
WANTED—A girl, as mother's help in gentleman's family; one to train not objected to. Apply Box 1597, Times 1/16
WANTED—General help, 1402 Stadacona avenue. 1/16
HELP WANTED—MALE.
LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE WANTED—No canvassing or soliciting required. Good income assured. Address National Co-operative Realty Co., 200 Marden Building, Washington, D. C. 1/16
WANTED—By reliable advertising firm, an experienced advertising salesman, on commission basis, must have extensive past experience to P. O. Box 760. 1/16
WANTED—Capable salesman to sell shares of Pioneer Oil Company, Ltd., for commission basis. No local undertaking. If you are just looking for an advance don't trouble to call. Apply M. J. Bond, fiscal agent, 563-4 Campbell Building, Victoria, B. C. 1/21
WANTED—PROPERTY.
CLIENT WANTS 3 or 4 roomed, furnished house, close in. Dalby & Lawson, 615 Fort street. 1/16
WANTED—To buy or rent, modern family house, well furnished, with garden, G. Kirchheim, 155 Johnson street. 1/16
FOR SALE—LOTS.
FOWL BAY LOT—Close to the bay, having a fine view of the sea, 50 x 20. Price only \$1450, terms easy. Dalby & Lawson, 615 Fort St. 1/16
CORDOVA BAY—Large waterfront lot, 100 ft. x 330 ft. with small three-room house, lot splendidly situated in the best part of Bay, beautifully wooded and private; 100 ft. bay terms. Wm. S. Wheelton, 1508 Brocke St. 1/22
FOR SALE—HOUSES.
HOUSES, that is vacant ones will not be placed in Victoria, but a local company bring in Oil. Write or call for prospectus. M. J. Bond, Pioneer Oil Company, Limited, 563-4 Campbell Building, Victoria, B. C. 1/21
\$4800 WILL BUY new, 6-room house, 60x120 lot, Oliver street, Oak Bay. Apply E. A. Harris, 1018 Douglas. 1/16
BUILD YOUR OWN HOME, turn your lot into revenue, save money. If you own a lot or have made payments, let me find the money to build. Satisfied many clients, who now have nice homes. See me. Box 1112, Times. 1/21
FOR SALE OR RENT—Eight-room house, all modern conveniences; no plumbing off, furnished, small cash payment; Yale street, Oak Bay, Apply 2333 Fowl Bay road, near Arena. 1/16
MUST SELL—4 rooms, pantry and bath-room, perfectly modern, situated 14 circle, near car line; revenue \$18; price \$2500, net, easy terms. Owner, a19 P. O. Box 127. 1/16
FOR SALE—New, modern, seven-room house, in Fairfield district, near car park and sea; must sell, below value; 10 terms; owner and builder, a19 agents. Phone 4668R. 1/16
HOUSE SNAP—Fairfield Estate, modern, four-room cottage on Oxford street, 1245 lot; price \$2500, small cash balance easy. John Greenwood, 3313 Blanshard street. 1/16
HOUSE BARGAIN—New, five-room cottage, situated on Trent street, close to beach, large lot, \$2450 to lease; owner has reduced price from \$5500 to \$2450; terms, \$500 cash, balance as rent. John Greenwood, 3313 Blanshard street. 1/16
FOR SALE—6-room, fully modern home on Vining street, near New High School, 2000 sq. ft. of oil, Pioneer Oil Company, balance as rent. Please Phone 361R. 1/21

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1709 Bay Street, new, modern five-roomed cottage, containing parlor with open fireplace, diningroom with the usual built-in features, two bedrooms with cupboards and kitchen. The cottage is piped for furnace, with cement basement. The lot is to be fenced and is situated within a block of the carline. Terms \$600 cash, balance 6, 12, 18 and 24 months. Price \$3900

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FOR SALE—LOTS

GREAT SNAP on Finlayson avenue, size 50x120, price \$750, this is the cheapest lot ever offered for sale on paved street in Victoria. Apply Mason, corner Hillside and Quadra street. Phone 3719.

SNAPS—Garden City, close to Burnside and B. C. Electric, a large, high lot, with buildings, only \$255, large lot, with fruit trees and 4 roomed house, unfinished interior, \$70, \$10 cash and \$10 per month. F. Letts, 911 B. C. Permanent Bldg.

WATERFRONT—Cordova Bay, large lot, 20x120, a very fine lot; price \$1,100, terms if desired. A. H. Harman, 1297 Langley street.

FOR SALE—HOUSES

FOR SALE—At sacrifice, 6-room house, lot 20x120, will sell for \$1,200. Apply 1351 Finlayson street.

\$400 CASH, next payment in two years, buys a pretty, seven roomed, 14 story house, situated on improved street, with choice part of Oak Bay; price \$4,500, large lot, nicely treed. Apply Box 1569, Times.

FOR SALE—See us for a snap, both as to terms and price, on 4-roomed house, toilet and bath, basement, fenced, lot 40x110, 2739 Scott street, Hinkson Slidell & Son, 404 Jones Bldg.

BEAUTIFUL FOR SITUATION—New, modern, 8-room house for sale, No. 1561 Pembroke street, near Belmont avenue. If you want a good house on very easy terms, investigate before purchasing elsewhere. Price \$6,000. Would take good building lot as part payment. E. W. Whittington Lumber Co., Ltd., owners. Phone 2987.

FOR SALE—7 roomed house and lot, Esquimalt; another, Spring Ridge, for quick sale, below market value, easy terms. 1352 St. Patrick street, Oak Bay.

SACRIFICIAL SALE—6 rooms, pantry, closets, bath and toilet, hot and cold water, electric lights, good lot, fenced, \$2,800 net, \$500 cash; 3 roomed house, fenced lot, \$1,400, \$200 cash; also lots \$50, \$100 cash. Collicutt, 31 Obed Ave., Tillamook P. O.

FOR SALE—An excellent seven roomed house, nearly new, near Parliament Buildings, will sell for \$4,500 and take small, good car for first payment. Address Box 1618, Times.

FOR SALE—ACREAGE

TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS CASH and \$10 monthly buys new, 4 roomed house, next Gorge waterfront, city water, electric light, waterfront rights, 1/2 inlet avenue.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—16-foot launch, 33 h. p., in good condition, \$125. Box 1611, Times.

WANTED—By experienced housekeeper, position in Victoria or vicinity; best of references and experience. Box 1612, Times.

WILL FLOAT ANOTHER LOAN DURING FALL

Local Improvement Debentures Are to Be Consolidated

The next issue of City of Victoria debentures will probably be made in the early fall. The intention is to consolidate the various issues of local improvement debentures which have been made ready through confirmation by the court of revision, and to place them on the market together.

At next sitting of the court, which will be held a week from to-morrow, Bank street, will be considered. This matter will finish the bulk of the formal duties the court has to carry out, and then the whole series of by-laws can be consolidated, to be floated later.

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PROFESSORS ARRIVE ON YOKOHAMA MARU

Instructor of Naval Architecture at Imperial University, Tokio, Lands Here

Two distinguished professors arrived on the S. S. Yokohama Maru this morning from the Orient, accompanied by their wives. They were Professor Purvis, head of the naval architectural branch of the Imperial University of Tokio, and Professor Hayam, head of the French law section of the same institution. Both gentlemen are on their way to Europe and will travel across Canada by easy stages.

In the course of a chat with Prof. Purvis the Times representative was informed that during the years the educationalist has been in the Far East, great improvements have been effected in the mercantile and naval construction in the Japanese yards. The professor was one of four tutors of naval design, and their object was as far as possible to keep Japan in the forefront of the world in matters pertaining to the construction of sea-going craft.

Several large vessels were at present on the stocks, and while the Japanese were still having ships built in foreign yards, the practice had been to take a vessel of the latest design, bring her out from Europe and use her as a model for sister ships.

The Japanese government was careful not to allow political considerations to weigh in educational development, and there had been no check on the development through the numerous political changes during the last few years. The young men of the nation were showing remarkable adaptability in picking up new ideas, and in a profession like that of naval architecture, where every year different schemes are being experimented with, the students were purvis to assimilate the newest ideas.

Professor Purvis is a close friend of A. F. Yarrow, head of Yarrow, Ltd., and asked a number of questions about the establishment of the industry here, expressing the belief that the plant here would be of great benefit to the community. He will visit the principal resorts in the Rocky Mountains before leaving for New York, whence he will sail for the old country with Mrs. Purvis.

HUERTA RESIGNS AT FOUR O'CLOCK TO-DAY; CARBAJAL SUCCEEDS

Mexico City, July 15.—Official announcement is made that, actuated by highest motives of patriotism and complying with supreme duty to his country, President Huerta will send his resignation to congress at 4 o'clock this afternoon. Francisco Carbajal, the foreign minister, will take the oath of office as provisional president two hours later.

B. C. FISHERIES SOLD ASSETS BRING \$300,000

Vancouver, July 15.—A supreme court judge today confirmed the sale here of the assets of the B. C. Fisheries company for \$300,000. Paper assets of more than half a million dollars were thus disposed of. The sale was made to an Englishman named Devereaux. The company was promoted several years ago by Sir George Doughty, of Grimby, lately deceased. British Columbia creditors will get nothing out of the settlement today, for the \$300,000 obtained in the sale will not nearly satisfy the preferred debenture holders in England.

FEDERAL FILIBUSTERS SWOOP DOWN ON PALOMAS

Villa's Garrison Overcome; Forty-Eight Killed or Executed To-day.

El Paso, Tex., July 15.—The forty-eight members of the constitutionalist garrison at Palomas, were either killed in battle or executed by federal filibusters who attacked the border town early to-day. No man escaped to the American side. This was reported here by the United States consular agent, at Columbus, N. M., seven miles from the scene of the fighting.

Shortly after daybreak, what United States army officers of the 13th cavalry estimated as a body of 450 men, swooped on the little garrison of Villa. The constitutionalists responded with a steady fire but were overpowered by overwhelming odds. It was reported to Atreus Elias, Huerta consul here, that nineteen of the Villa garrison were executed. The filibusters captured the entire armament and supplies of the post.

The attack on the border town was taken here as an indication of renewed activity of the federal irregulars in Chihuahua state, who heretofore have confined their activity to the interior. Filibustering expeditions to be set on foot in anticipation of a counter-revolution after the fall of the Huerta central government.

FISHER MAKES CORRECTION.

Vancouver, July 14.—P. Fisher, one of the Victoria delegates to the B. C. Federation of Labor convention, asserts that he was wrongly reported in the papers. He was credited with the statement that he and at least some of the other Victoria delegates would support any request for action "down to open murder." This should have read "anything short of murder."

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"Colonist" Tomatoes. Blair's price, tin... 13c

START SAVING BY PHONING AN ORDER TO-DAY



MAIN STORE Phone 5405. Douglas and Hillside
DOWN TOWN STORE Phone 1495. Fort St., near Douglas

NOTICE

The Victoria Trades and Labor Council. The regular meeting of the above body called for Wednesday, July 15, is hereby postponed until Wednesday, July 22, when Vice-President Bancroft, of the Trades and Labor Congress, will be in attendance.

G. W. DYKEMAN, President T. & L. Council.

The British Columbia Permanent Loan Company

DIVIDEND NO. 32

Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum has this day been declared on the Permanent Stock of the Company for the half year ending June 30, 1914, and that the same will be payable at the Head Office of the Company, 320 Pender street, Vancouver, B. C., and at the Branch Office in Victoria, on and after July 15, 1914.

TENDERS.

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned until noon on the 21th of July 1914, for the holdings of the Sidney Island Sand and Gravel Co., either en bloc or in parcels, as follows:

AT ROCK BAY.
12½ Beatty Hoisting Engine, with double drums, double cylinders, swinger, etc. Derrick complete with 8 ft. boom and 12 ft. turntable. 11-yard clam Shell Bucket.

Lease of premises, including bunkhouse, 300 ft. capacity, and concrete office building.
Clinker-bull Launch, 30 feet x 8.5 beam, two-cylinder Buffalo-engine, heavy duty type.

AT COWICHAN BAY.
Byron & Jackson 8 in. Centrifugal Sand and Gravel Pump, 10 in. suction with ball joint and accessories. Suction 24 in. type; 60 h. p. Boiler, 11½ Centre Crank Engine, 4-drum Hoist. The whole installed on a specially built scow 42x22½ ft.

15 acres more or less of fresh water sand and gravel deposit.
AT SIDNEY ISLAND.
25 h. p. Sanyo Horizontal Stationary Gasoline Engine, 3½ ft. conveyor of 24 in. Sanyo rubber belting, Wharf and Bunker, Scraper, Houses, etc. Right to take sand on royalty basis.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Arrangements to view the plant may be made on application. Dated 15th July, 1914.
CHARLES E. WILSON, Solicitor.
Board of Trade Bldg., Victoria, B. C.

MR. CROTHERS FOR GOVERNOR.

Ottawa, July 15.—The Evening Free Press claims to know that Hon. T. W. Crothers, minister of labor, will be appointed lieutenant-governor of Ontario to succeed Lieutenant-Governor Gibson, whose term expires this autumn. Mr. Crothers, the paper states, would prefer to go on to the bench, but is too near the age limit of judges.

SEVEN MINERS KILLED

Iron River, Mich., July 15.—Seven miners were killed in the Balkan mine at the Alpha location near here today, when sliding sand caused a cave-in.

The Imperial Canadian Trust Company
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL \$1,168,100
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ASK FOR PROSPECTUS
CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF OAK BAY

BULLETS AT BISLEY
LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS COURT OF REVISION

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay has completed the following works:
Has graded King George Terrace from Crescent road to Lot Q, Block A, Map 1087.

Annual Number rate per annum. Total front assessments. Total front assessments. cost.
King George Terrace 2220. 10 1310.50
Hampshire Road 2625. 10 1310.50

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
In the Matter of the Winding-Up Act and in the Matter of the Canadian Puget Sound Lumber Company, Limited.

TAKE NOTICE that by an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia dated the 9th day of July, 1914, the Honorable Mr. Justice Clement has fixed the 30th day of July, 1914, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon in the Judges' Chambers at the Court House, Victoria, as the time and place for the appointment of a Permanent Official Liquidator of the above named Company, and the Honorable Mr. Justice Clement has appointed Thursday, the 3rd day of July, 1914, at the hour of 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Board of Trade Building, in the City of Victoria, as the time and place for a Meeting of the Creditors of the above named Company, called for the purpose of considering a compromise or arrangement proposed by the above named Company, and the Creditors of the above named Company, and the appointment of a permanent Official Liquidator.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
In the Matter of the Estate of Henry Wain, of North Saanich District, in the Province of British Columbia, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons indebted to the above named estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness forthwith to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the said estate are requested to send particulars thereof duly verified to the undersigned, on or before the 15th day of August, 1914, after which time the undersigned will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice.

Journal News
CANADIAN PACIFIC AT STANDARD LEAD AND LOWEST FOUR YEARS INTERNATIONAL LED

New Haven Sold at Six Points Below Yesterday; London is Seller
Softened Tone for Calgary Oils This Morning; Prices Narrow

Bidding in International Coal & Coke was encouraging at to-day's session of the local stock exchange. Standard Lead was stronger to the extent of four cents per share. Several new claims have been acquired recently by the company, the development of which will soon now be under way.

Table with columns: Bid Asked, Bid Asked, Bid Asked. Lists various commodities like Alaska Gold, Amal. Copper, Ann. Beet Sugar, etc.

WINNEPEG TRADING IN WHEAT UNCHANGED
Winnipeg, July 15.—Trading was quiet on the wheat market in options, and prices, while fairly strong during the early hours, weakened later.

MODERATE BUYING IN WHEAT GAVE UPTURN
Chicago, July 15.—Some moderate buying caused an upturn in wheat prices to-day. Indications pointed to the foreign demand being pretty well satisfied for the present, and with the spring crop nearly ready to market, the actual pressure of cash wheat promises to be heavy for some time.

DROP IN EXPORT OIL
New York, July 15.—The Standard Oil Company of New York to-day announced a reduction of 15 points in all grades of refined oil for export, making cases 10.75 cents per gallon, tanks 5.75 cents, and refined at New York and Philadelphia 8.25 cents.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT"
IN THE MATTER OF AN APPLICATION for a Certificate of Title to Victoria City Lot 1941.

NOTICE TO PUBLIC
Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned as Hardware Merchants, Heating and Plumbing Contractors, under the firm name of Bishop & Glover, Victoria, B. C., has this day dissolved by mutual consent.

IN THE ESTATE OF JANE NOBLE, DECEASED.
All persons having claims against the above named deceased are required to send particulars thereof duly verified to the undersigned, on or before August 1st, 1914, after which date the Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.

MONTREAL STOCKS. (By F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Bid. Asked. Amal. Marconi 100 110, Bailey 100 110, Beaver 100 110, etc.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET. (By F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Bid. Asked. Jan. 12.42, Feb. 12.22, Mar. 12.22, etc.

CRUDE OIL REDUCED. Pittsburgh, Pa., July 15.—Further reduction in the price of crude oil was announced here to-day, the following being the new prices: Pennsylvania crude, \$1.75; Mercer black, \$1.27; Newcast, \$1.27; Cabell, \$1.32; Somerset, \$1.32.

FUNERAL OF VICTIMS
Remains of Nathaniel Charles Summers and Edward Summers Laid to Rest at Ross Bay.

SEALING COMPANY'S CASE IS ADJOURNED
Cost of Vessels Owned is Matter of Difference and Evidence Will Be Offered

The adjourned hearing of the claim of the Victoria Sealing company for a measure of compensation from out of the fund received by the Dominion under the Washington treaty, by which pelagic sealing has been stopped for fifteen years, came on this morning before Mr. Justice Audette, of the exchequer court of Canada, who is sitting as a commissioner to investigate all claims.

Following the small white hearse in the procession was the black hearse in which the mortal remains of Nathaniel Summers were conveyed to their last resting place at Ross Bay cemetery, the pallbearers in this instance being Charles Dennie, Joseph Lay, J. Pope and Albert Cocks (all members of the Carpenters' union), and A. H. Shearer and R. W. Jamieson (of the A. O. F.).

LARGELY REPRESENTED
Victoria Will Send About 70 Riflemen to Richmond Meeting; New Bullet to Be Used.

According to a report presented at the executive committee meeting of the B. C. Rifle association last evening, it appears that from Victoria there will be about 70 riflemen attending the meeting which opens at the Rifle range, Richmond, next Tuesday. Of these there will be some 25 from the Fifth regiment, 20 from the Highlanders, 12 or 14 from the Civilian association, and representatives also of the Esquimalt associations, the 88th regiment and the University school.

Camps will be pitched on Lulu Island, the events being arranged much as in former years. The president's cup, a new trophy, donated by Lieut.-Col. Currie, will be one of the most keenly contested. It will be shot for by teams of six with coach drawn from units and civilian rifle associations, ten shots at 400 and 900 yards respectively.

On this occasion a different bullet will be used, one of flatter trajectory and not so subject to cross winds. The lateral deflection will not be so great therefore as with the old bullets used. Standard No. 7 mark will be used, and so that the local men who have not used it before may become accustomed to it prior to the competitions, they will go over on Monday and get some preliminary practice at the targets, utilizing the new bullet.

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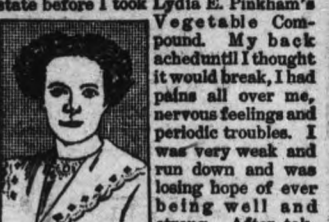
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MEETINGS
Evening Park Concert.—The Fustlers' band will be in attendance at Central park this evening from 7 to 9.

Garden Party.—This evening, starting at 8, there will be a garden party at the Centennial Methodist parsonage, 612 David street. Excellent arrangements for the enjoyment of those who attend have been made.

Will Hold Excursion.—The Brentwood excursion organized by the Victoria Real Estate Exchange is to take place on Saturday, July 18, leaving Victoria on the B. C. Electric by special train at 12:30 p. m. Notifications have been sent to the members of the exchange requesting them to bring their wives, families and friends. Tickets will include transportation, lunch, tea, dinner, use of boats and launches, billiard tables, tennis court, impromptu dance after dinner and the trip to the power house, cement works. Special arrangements have been made with the hotel company, so that any member of the party wishing to return to town by an earlier train than the special can do so by obtaining a ticket from the hotel; this will be provided without any extra charge. The entertainment committee consists of T. E. Monk, Bert D. White, D. O. Rochfort, T. W. Howard, R. H. Duce, A. J. Brubaker and C. J. Wright, the secretary.

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INVITATION ACCEPTED

His Royal Highness the Governor-
General Will Formally Open New
Connault Library.

His royal highness the governor-
general has graciously accepted the
invitation of Sir Richard McBride
and the members of the executive
council to perform the ceremony of
opening the new Connault library
block in connection with the parlia-
ment buildings.

It will be a considerable time be-
fore the new library is ready for use,
but as the corner-stone of it was laid
by his royal highness when here two
years ago it was felt that it would be
fitting to have him formally declare
the building open. The outer walls
and the roof will be complete by the
time of the ceremony and enough of
the interior will be finished to allow
of the opening.

A golden key will be presented to
the governor-general with which he
will open the door between the main
building and the new library wing.
While no date can be set for the
opening until his royal highness has
been consulted it is likely that the
latter half of his visit, in the second
week, will be chosen.

DEATHS ACCIDENTAL.

Coroner's Juries at Inquests of
Thomas McCormick and Julius
Dahl Find Due to Misfortunes.

Inquests on the bodies of Thomas
McCormick, the steward of the C. P.
R. S. S. Princess Charlotte, who lost
his life by drowning on Saturday af-
ternoon and Julius Dahl, painter, who
was killed in a fall from a scaffold at
the stables of the city market, were
held yesterday afternoon before Cor-
oner Hart.

In both cases verdicts of accidental
death were returned by the juries, the
evidence plainly indicating in each in-
stance that death had resulted from
misfortune, and the medical evidence
agreeing with that view. In the case
of Dahl, the testimony of Dr. Braby
was to the effect that the deceased
met his death through a fracture at
the base of the skull resulting from
his fall from the scaffold to the stone
pavement.

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PAVING AGREEMENT

Warren Company Will Agree
to Terms for Saanich Road
Contract; Proposals

That the Saanich paving by-law will
be submitted with the by-laws for
schools and waterworks appears to be
assured. A telegram from Walter
Warren, president of the Warren Con-
struction company, was read to the
municipal councillors last evening. Mr.
Warren said he trusted the council
would proceed with the by-law. On his
return to the city he would sign the
agreement if it was not changed from
that which he had discussed with the
reeve.

The council accordingly ordered the
officials to proceed with the preparation
of the by-law, pending the receipt of
the signed agreement from the Warren
Construction company.
As amended, the by-law is consider-
ably changed from that which was be-
fore the public in 1913. Reference has
already been made to the transfer of the
paving work from Mount Tomlie and
Cedar Hill roads to Shelbourne
street extension, part of the cost to be
paid out of local improvement, but it
appears that it is the intention only to
pave one half of Shelbourne street. The
balance will be left until a street car
line, which it is hoped to secure, has
been built. The city and government
have both been approached for contribu-
tions, and the former has promised to
submit a by-law for \$30,000 for the
improvement, as it holds Mount Dou-
glas park. This is the part of the con-
tract which is held by the Warwick
company, upon which no settlement
has been secured under the new speci-
fications.

The council is dropping the section
of the main Saanich road from Dou-
glas street by Swan Lake to the junction
of Quadra street, and in place is hav-
ing Quadra street paved from the city
boundary. The amount of money set
free by the change of plans will be used
to grade the roads to be paved. Last
year only some \$20,000 was provided for
that purpose, but it is estimated that
\$90,000 at least will be required to bring
the trunk roads to a uniform grade
suitable for traffic. It is stated that
one of the reasons why the Swan Lake
section of the main road has been drop-
ped is the heavy grade by the lake,
Quadra street having a better surface
and being a continuation of permanent
paving in the city.

The amended proposals are not ex-
pected to alter to any important extent
the actual total cost of about \$450,000
for the scheme.

CONSERVATORY OPENED.

Professor J. C. Johnson, Principal of
New College of Music, Received
His Training in London, Eng.

The Canadian Conservatory of
Music opened yesterday in the Stob-
art-Pease building, a large number
of pupils enrolling on the opening day.
The new conservatory, the announce-
ment of the opening of which had
been anticipated for some time, is un-
der the principalship of Professor J. C.
Johnson, L. R. A. M., L. S. M., who
came here over a year ago from Eng-
land, and even at that time expressed
his intention of organizing and train-
ing a band in the city. Mr. Johnson
came to the city with such excellent
credentials that he should surely meet
with success in the undertaking. Late
bandmaster of such a widely and fav-
orably known organization as the Sea-
forth, Eng. military band, he should
have little trouble in building up a
large and flourishing school in the
city.

Mr. Johnson has had a thorough
knowledge of the various instruments

under some of the best army band-
masters in England, obtaining all his
musical training in London under
some of the big bandmasters of the
great metropolia. He was at one time
soloist in the First Essex artillery
band in London, and was deputy con-
ductor for the famous Weber. In
South Africa he had wide experience
as a teacher of music, but had to re-
turn to England on account of ill-
health, this being the occasion on
which he was appointed bandmaster
of the Seaforth band, Liverpool. At
Southport he was instructor and con-
ductor of the Southport Orchestral
society, the Great Crosby Orchestral
band, and the Seaforth Amateur Or-
chestral society.

WILL INVITE TENDERS ON WATERWORKS PLANT

Saanich Council Will Hold
Special Meeting to Pass By-
law; Reference to Fire

To provide for the installation of the
water supply, the Saanich council last
evening authorized a call for tenders
for the material required for the sys-
tem, and decided to take up the neces-
sary by-law for the undertaking at a
special meeting of the council at an
early date. As the reeve will be away,
Councillor Borden was appointed act-
ing reeve in case the by-law is ready
before the reeve's return.

The council adopted a by-law re-
stricting shooting in the suburban area
of the municipality, and prohibiting it
altogether on Sundays. No shooting is
to be allowed within 60 feet of a high-
way. The firearms by-law will serve
both as a means of protecting game
and as a safeguard against accidents
such as have occurred recently.

The streets which it is proposed to
improve at a cost of \$22,800, in Garden
City under the local improvement plan
will be Dalry, Tully, Violet, and Jas-
mine, being streets connecting Black-
wood and Marigold roads, where work
has already been carried out.

The engineer recommended that in
order to avoid the lines of poles of the
B. C. Electric railway and the B. C.
Telephone company clashing, the coun-
cil should order one company to place
its poles on the north and east sides
of streets, and the other on the south
and west sides.

The double tragedy on Fourth street,
in which N. C. Summers and his son
Edward lost their lives, was referred to
in council.

The matter came up in a letter from
B. E. Lefevre, who urged that the
council should hasten and give the dis-
trict water immediately. It had been
informed that had water been available
the fire could have been held in check.
Councillor Grant stated that all ne-
gotiations with Oak Bay and the city
had been concluded, and the work
would be proceeded with immediately.

The council agreed to a request from
the Canadian Financiers' agency to
have an engineer make an estimate of
the local improvement work at Univer-
sity Heights, where it is proposed to
open a new residential district. The es-
timates will be made under the super-
vision of the municipal engineer.

The council dealt with the resolutions
passed at the meeting of the Ratepay-
ers' association of Ward One as fol-
lows: The questions of the licensing
of transient traders, and the regula-
tion of electric lights were referred to
the health committee; the question of
police protection against automobiles
speeding on Cedar Hill road was re-
ferred to the chief of police; the condi-
tion of Mt. Tomlie road at the end of
the Mt. Tomlie car line was referred to
the engineer and Councillor Borden.

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than that of widowers who take a sec-
ond wife.

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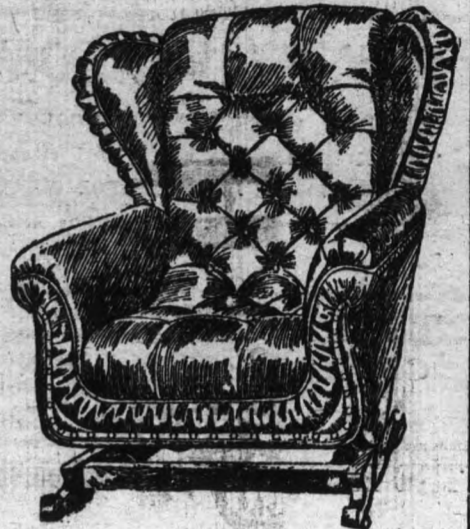
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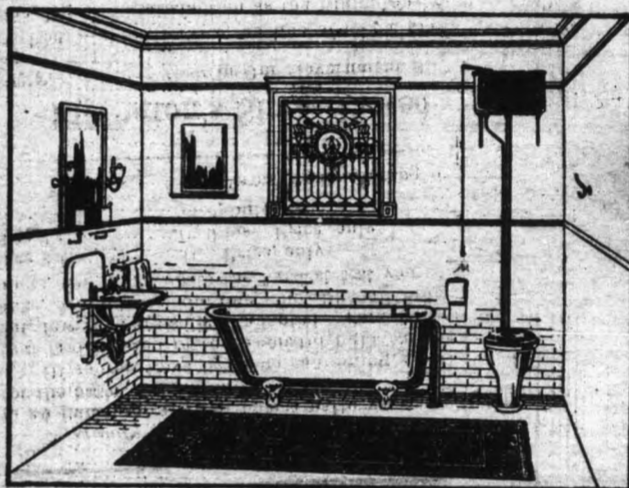
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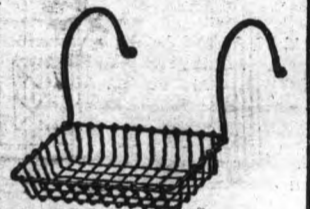
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